## Record Group 104. Entry 1.

GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, 1792-1899.

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        BUREAU OF THE MINT
U.S. Mint At Philadelphia;
1791-1936
Correspondence, 1792-1904
GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE.
1792 - 1899
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1876 - OCT. To

1877 - JAN.

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U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1874/OCTOBER (CONT.)



## Mint of the Tuited States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, October 17 1876. Hom. James Pollock,
Luperintendent.
Liv. Presuming that my communi16-18-76, has been overlook

Cation to your of May 16 1876, has been overlooked through the pressure of business, I desire again most respectfully to call your attention to the subject matter contained therein, to wit: "that the her diem pay of Miss J. F. Dorff, Counter be increased from \$250 to \$2 25 and that of Miss 2. A. George from \$175 to \$250

of pay, and trust that you wife recommend it

to the Director.

Sam Very Respectfully
fun Off Servant
Bondon morrdges
orier.

A L Snowden Coiner 17 Oct 1876 Receiving request for increase of Paisse I. J. Dorff + L.A. George.

Red 18 Oct 16,

C. L. P.	Creasury of the United States, DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS,
The following transfer order to you from M. S.	ers have this day been issued for transportation of funds  As say office New York,
NO.	AMOUNI.
3836 In 282.898.	3 x og standard silver bullion & 288867 -
pt. U.S. Mit Philadelphia	A. Mymay

Treasurer U.S.

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Ree'd 18 Oct 1876

Treasury Department,
office of the Director of the MINT,
October 18, 1876.

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union by you from parties to furnish

tickel and enclosed in you letter of the 16 " motant the same having been ornited to be returned with my letter

ofyederday.

Very respectfully

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Hon fas Pollvik Ifit mutug Philadelphia 1240 S.M./ 18 Oct 1876

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Recs 19 Oct 76

# Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, October 18", 1876. Referring to the enclosed letters from the Dupenintendent and Melter and Refiner of the Clessay Office at New York, in relation to Centain grades of Milver thought to be wilable for Comage without refining or toughening, I will thank you and the Metter and Refiner, to carefully consider the question presented and with a view to receive this silver to an extent that may be deemed expedient. With proper tests, it appeares to me, that at

deast a portion of it might be received until a fair trial should show satisfactory results, or otherwise. Please report your Conclusiones to this office and

return the inclosures, (1)

Mor James Pollock, D. Mespectfully, M. R. Linderman Ophiladelphis Ch. 3

18 Oct 1876

Forw letter from My all and require opinion of MAR as to receiving certain grades of silver

Rec's 19 Oct 76

Oct 19

J. & W. SELIGMAN & Co. How York, Class & 1876

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Rued 19 Oct 16

#### MEMORANDUM.

From O Loudon Insweden Esq W. S. Mint JOHN DALLETT & Co.. 128 Walnut Street. PHIL'A October 28 1/2 1876 Dear Sir, The Denedies Durnham Mg Company advise following Ships Oct 11th 11 Keg . 70.000 blanks The last they will be here tomorrow when we will sends
it up to you at once. Very trut.

modelett 16 Oct. 18-1876. Mem. of blks shipped thate.

# Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., Clover, 18, 1876.

Hon. James Pollock, Supt. W.S.Mint. Philadelphia. Gir,

The appointment of Frederick C. Nerring as a Workman in the (Meller Prefiner's Department of your Mint at a compensation of 1.50 perdieno, submittedju your communication of the 14th inst. is hereby approved to take effect from this date. Veryrespectfully,

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1239 D.M. 18 Oct 1876. Oppr. appl. F. C. Herring workman in Mx RDefit a\$150 pd. Rec's 19 Oct 76, Oct 19

Montreal Oct 19.1896 The dieclis Minks Near fir-the mit last spring I do not remembe seeing a Coin like the Enclosed-Its value is little but if there are none, it may be a curiosity\_ yours an american

An american montreal San, Oct 19. 1876 Sending 1/2 ch of can for minh babrnel

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RM Schinnan & Ca New York, Oct 19 1876 Hen Jobboas Tups at Smint O. Chiladelphia Dear Ri of the \$18% entireliable hy theck face \$ 666595 wheel a greetering for security duly of Delphangly to the shall ship you to morrow the trainer telphan to weight IG812 acuces and enclose specification. Remain Cear Sig John Selymant Caker \$66.639 31 pold, Form, 3, 39, 812 - 813 aggg Reed 20 Oct 76

## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Oct 19. , 1876.

Hon James Pollock, Supr.

Den Sir.

I Endose printed slips recensed from othis this morning which please return after reading. Yn Misi Der that the authority pelied on to limbade it fenater Therwan and myself is a History of the Mont est. Inme Buch Supt. Heave Sently Return Mail a Copy of the pamplet Referred lo and wfini me on what sutherety the Statements in it are made, I whent to push the Marner up to giving, his authority. very Resherfully 1243 D.M.) 19 Oct 1876,

Evel, printed clips + requ. copy of pamphlet "History of homint."

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Oct 20

Califo Oreasury Pepartment, Washington, D. C., Scholer, 19, 1876. Hon James Pollock. Juph. a.Minh. Philadelphia. I have this day referred to the accounting Officers of the Department for examination of settlement your Ordinary repense account for the month of September. Meryreskeetfully. Dinetor.

8,900, 19 Oct 1876 Ord Øfe Sept referred. Reef 20 Oct 76 Oct 20

M. Schiman & Ch. New York Vot H1876

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# Treasury Department,

Office of the director of the MINT,

October 20, 18 fe.

As Supert to be at the Mint towards the latter part of the Coming week, it will be unmecessary don you to send here coin drawings
which the engraver is preparing, Hespectfully, Director. Mon. James Pollock, B. Mint, 3. Philadelphia, Penna.

20 Oct 1876, Will be at Mint room. Donot send designs for coin,

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Red 21 Oct 76

### Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., October 20th 1876.

As per request contained in your letter of the 17th instant, I send you by This day's mail a supply of Blank Statements of Gald and Silver deposits and purchases. (monthly) ant Sold and Silver of domestic production, and Vars manufactured.

I am fir, orry respectfully

Non-James Pollock, Superintendent ve, Philadelphia Pa.

Director

1249 D.M. 20 Oct 1876

Forw, blanks for monthly Dratements deposites purchases & bars.

Reed 21 Oct 76.

#### MINT OF THE UNITED STATES AT PHILADELPHIA,

### Coiner's Department.

Record of the weighings of Twenty Pieces

of SILVER COIN, in each draft of \$ contained in delivery of \$ made to the Superintendent of the Mint Of 21 1876

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## Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA.

MELTING AND REFINING DEPARTMENT.

20th October 1876

Hon James Tollock

Superintendent Dear Sir

Ahave read the letter of Mr. Maxon,
MxR. of the Aceay Office, H.Y., of the 16th. inst, of
Mr Actor the Suptate of the 17th. inst, and of the Lon.
W.R. Linderman, Sirector of the Mint, of the 18th. inst, all
relating to the reception from the Aceay Office, of a
lower grade than June Vilver, which alone is now received;

dregret to observe that Mr Mason draws attention almost wholly to the fineness of metal, although I have almost constantly remarked that Jineness is of far less in the fine of the fineness is of far less in the fine of the second of the fineness is of far less in the fine of the second of the fine of the second of the seco

importance than quality.

The observes that "hundreds of thousands of annees" "have to be needlessly refined to 9972 at a cost of thousands of dollars," with loss of time, while the Director is policitous for prompt work,

To this dreply that his manner of stating the subject is really begging the question, for

rullions of Orlors bullion have been refused on account of their unfitness for coinage, and yet the thousands peut on the refining was properly opent, and less than it would have acet had the office not been first refined. Hence two or three questions are here pertinent. I. For much of the bullion al-luded to by Mr Mason required this refining to render it git for coinage? 2. How much would it have cost the Government if the bullion had been pringly melted directly for coinage and had then been discovered to be emfit? 3. In this last cast case, would not the delay, as well as the cost, have been greater, than if the bullion had been first refined?

metal coin or other bullion. It is either June metal coin or other bullion. It fine, it is what experience proves to be most reliable for coinage quality, and there is no difference of opinion on it. I coin, it must be absolutely and exclusively coin and not bullion brought to atout a M. Coor sterling standard, for we have received and from the Assay Office, of which we had to complain as insuitable for coinage. If other than the metal or coin, whether Western bars, plate, or jewelry not refined by acid, or even not well refined by acid, then, it is so difficult and uncertains to refine it in the melting pot

or on the test sufficiently, that for the purpose of preparing it for coinage on a manufacturing scale, dregard the attempt so made as entirely

impracticable.

The method proposed by Mr. Mason to Recure proper quality, by transmitting samples, ete, Deens plansible, but I regard it as insufficient to meet the case, For when bullion is refined, not by acid, but in the melhing pot, it must be dere in Reparate melts of a few thousand ounces each, and each melt would have its special quality and require special testing, Now we cannot determine the quality af metal suiting it for comage, from small samples but we ought for this purpose to make our usual melt of 2000 or 3000 ounces, and roll it into ribbons or strips of the proper thickness, in order to reforesent the working eale as long and frequent experience has taught we. I therefore the Assay Office wished to transmit to us 100,000 oz, we should be obliged to test at least 50,000 by melting, rolling etc. Kis hardly worth while to observe that there is needless delay and cost in Ruch a course, and that since it involves the molting of one-half, twice, it is costly and wasteful, for every melting of Pilver is attended with the loss of nearly (, and) one thousandth of its weight, even in fine on

Dandard Orlver, but more in baser bullion. M Mason remarks that 'Bren "more rigid tests could be used for the metal " peut from here than may now be used for " the same Rind of metal, received from in = " dividual depositors at the Mint, and con = " verted into com without being refined to "9972 m. Jine." On this I remark that Mr. Mason is in error, because we refine by acid all allver bullion, that is not either coin or fine Volver, Knowing from our own experience the preparderance of bullion among such Wholly unadapted to coinage. We therefore practise ourselves, what we ask from others. While Law always ready and glad

to adopt any method of the apening work or chostening time in its execution, think it would not be advisable to alter our present which proves in practice as perfect as we can expect, and which during believe is more economical of money and time than the

alternative proposed.

Very respectfully yours

Jak Booth

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1246 S. Booth MxR. 20 Oct 1876. Reasons for objecting to receive from ny a.C. other than Jine Pilver, she Read 20 Oct 1876

Henry Croemner SCAILE MANUFACTURIER 710 Market Street. Philadelphia Oct 20 1876 Hon James Pollock Cha di I to day sent you the weighte for the Helina array Office " will you have the Kindmen to adrice me as soon as they have been tested In em clusion allow me to express my thanks for your Kindnes in directing In June (Financial Inope Canada) to us, for dealer Halances, Trong Rapadfully Henry duenuca

Henry Frommer 1250 Phila Och 20.1876. 30 Wall 331428 210 Market Street Meighto for Kelend sint to An James felle & Smith st Ot. S. Thene den de gente noigher the the you have the time down to adine one as som as The have been tatel In our during all no and t express my thanks for to in for diele Halances . land the field ... 0 and och 21.1876.

J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO. Jollock Gork, Cal II 1876
Dear Sir: We beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the To inclosing \$75869 Jacks.
ser of Selver bars Deet you. Depred by us Hery Respectful Jaklelymand & Je M Telignant Co ng. 21 Oct 1876 Cakuf 15,869 & gold

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Reed 23 Oct 76.

Creasury Department, October 21th, 1876. Thave to request that you will forward to this office at the close of busines luch Saluday a statement bullion in the bullion fund of your Very respectfully Duelos

Honfames Rollock

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Philadelphia

1252 D.M. 21 Opt 1876,

Ducting Statement at close es businesse ach Thurday, of approximate amount Tiber Belliero in B.F.

Reed 23 Oct 76

## Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., CV. D., 1876.

Am James Pollock, Jupt M.S.Mint. Philadelphia. Gir.

Acknowledging the receipt of your communication of the 20th just returning corrected Noucher and Chalement of Medal French Ic. I have to inform you that I have referred your Medal account for the quarker ended Oeplember, 30:1846. to the accounting Officers of the

Department for examination and settlement.

Veryrespectfully,

21 Oct 1876

Ochure Medal Ye-3rd qu 1876-referred to accounting officers.

Reed 23 Oct 76

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

October 23 ", 1876 Dir:- Thave your letter of the 21th inst, enclosing in reference to the receiving of alower grade than fine Silver from the New York assay Office. The views of Inof. Booth appear to be conclusive as to the inexpediency of receiving such bullion. The Olignlationes mow infonce will therefore, not be relaxed in this respect, and I shall continue the practice recently inaugurated, of having the gnester portion of our purchades office dilver de -= livered direct at the Mint - thus avoiding the delay and expense incident to two melks, and assays and relieving the Assay Office from an mane amount of work.

You may inform the Melter & Refines that Soon after my arrival in San Francisco, for which place Despect to Start on the Decond proximo, - I will, if practicable, and advantageons to the Sovernment, Spurchase a quantity of Doré bullion, to be parted at the Mint, and of which you will he adviced by telegraph from that point, Should the punchase the made. Respectfully, Directof. Mon James Pollock.
Ouperintendent MS, Mint.
Philadelphia Pa.

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DM. 28 Oct 1876.

Alle. Henouring in views adverse to receiving from Myal any but fine lilver. Rules will not be changed.

Purchases of Pilverm'll be delivered at Mint.

Will, try to buy Dor't in It. Loon, for Mint.

Red 24 Oct 76.

### Mint of the United States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, October 2312/1876.

Hon. James Pollock, Superintendent.

Sir;

As I have already informed you the "Medal of Award" of the International Centermial Exhibition has so great a circumference as to almost preclude the possibility of its being struck within any reasonable time, certainly not in time for the purposes for which it is nitereded. I had your permission to experiment in the direction of having castings made giving almost the entire relief of the medal, which a yew subsequent blows of hoped would bring up. The experiment in type metal, with which I tested the moulds first, was to a degree satisfactory. of am sorry I cannot say as much for those cast in copper - I do not yet despair of the experiment, but I fear that it will not be on cossful.

Me Goshovn, the Director-General

of the Exhibition, descried me to request you for permission, if all other experiments failed to have the die reduced on our Machine to a three (3) wich size - of course at the expense of the Commission. If it is necessary to get authority from Washington, would you be kind enough to abtain such anthority, so that there may be as little delay as possible in beginning the work-should efailure attend all the experiments I am now making. Machine in about nine (9) in ten (10) days. Lam Very truly Jam Off, Sewant, Loudon Fronders " Comie.

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A.L. Morrden, Coiner, 23 Oct 1876,

Centennial Awar Medal too lang. Experiments made in cashing. Director Several requests, if there fail, reduction to 3 in, d'ameter. Authority therefor requested.

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#### MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

PHIL'A October 23 1876

a. London Inverden Eig U. S. Mint

Dear Sir, The Benedict Burnham Mfg Company

Shipped on the 19th three Kegs blanks has 6. 7 8

Oach Containing 75.000 blanks - total 225.000.

He sent them to the Mint on Laterday the 21 st inest

Sours truly John Dallett 6:

Oct. 23 c/196. Dallett. fur. 16 neut of 3 nure less conte 225 ovo blks

Treasury Department, office of the director of the MINT,

Colored 24, 1876. Shave requested that a transfer It, fullion fund of be made from the bullion fund of the by assay Office new book tothat of your mint of the sum of \$115.854.23 payable in 101.115.99 of some Silver This selver will probably arrive at your mut on theres say next 26" instant, Very uspectfully R. E. Treston aching Dudor Honforms Pollock fript Mint 11 g Philadelphia

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E. L. C.	DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS,  October	2 x th, 1876.
The following transfer orders have this day been issued for transportation of funds to you from U. I. Assay office New York, my		
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Treasury Department,

office of the director of the mint,

October 24,4876.

fir;

Mour letter of the 23 instant
enclosing certificate of deposit for

\$188.17 on account of parting and refining
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Very respectfully Rotheston Acting Druetor

Honfamus Rollock Jufth Mintoftholog Philaselphia 1258.

R&Prexhm 24 Oct 1876

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Oreasury Department, Washington, D. C., Clover, D1, 1876. Non James Gollock. Supt. alemint. Philadelphia. Thave this day requested the Cecretary of the Treasury to cause to be advanced you the Rum of Mines Nundred Dollars, Gold Coin , payable from the ap= Comprisation for Carting Alefining Verynskeelfully. Heting Director.

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JOHN WELSH,
President.
FREDERICK FRALEY.

FREDERICK FRALEY, Sec'ry and Treas. Thtennational Exhibition, Philadelphia.

CENTENNIAL BOARD OF FINANCE,

No. 903 Walnut Street.

Philadelphia Oct 251876 my dem for Tollect The enclosed letter from Mr Salry Ellyatt, Stute the hibrity of sonding to you with the request that ymmule reply to is, and in so dorny pu will Very mukoblyi Jam Smems Ino Melsh

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NELSON YOUNG, Wies-President, J. W. TAYLOR, Cashier. First National Pank of Somerville. Somerville, A.J., Och 25 1876 Director W.S. minh, Phila. I write to Engun can accommodate us with Other. in 50: 25. m 10 + To amount of 2 deaths on the Assh \$1269. Osnelvse Flamp for noturn Juny restrictions

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Attorneys and Counsellors, Little Falls, N. Y. H. CLAY HALL, S. L. SEABROOK. To the Comptrate Talls, M. S., Dot 25 1876 Dheladelphin Den: Dhare in my prisession a Fine doclar(85) puce Julie Cornage of 1808. mil gov be kund. sworge to ausive the following Juestions: I Went was the neight of their coinage as is ht more or lef. and how much Is that cornage (a five fine of 1818) of any particular value in your fairion as an curiosity. Ata carey rifely is respectfully aircule Myonn S. L. Seabork 6 P.S. Meane give me the wight of Each com age in pennyweights to obligers.

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## Mint of the United States,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, October 25 1876

Hon James Polloex Superintendent Sir;

In reply to the acting Director's letter of the 24", inst, in relation to the character of the dies condemned by the Corner at San Francisco, and which were forwarded here, and also as to the number of price struck from them, I have to hone to Say, that the Half Dollar dies Sent on from that Ment, Evere nearly all purposely defaced upon the edge by the use of a hammar, or other blunt tool, so as to ef= fectually prevent them from being tested practically here. - A very few evere not so defaced-From these I took two dies - one that had been in use at San Francisco, and rejected by the boiner at that Mint, as unfix for further use, and the other a die that had been hardened, and turned ready to be polished but rejected as defective. 150th of these dies I submitted to as thorough a test as is given our our dies - From the former die to with the "used die; I struck forty-eight thousand (48.000) pieces

and intend using the die in my regular everk, as it is still in perfect condition—
The Second or unused die, I had polished and from it struck two hundred and sixty four thousand (264,000) prices— when the die gave The temper of both dies was excellent or we could not have had the results which I have given you. I have the honer to remain Jour Obest Servant Moredon himseles

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Al Szavden Coiner 25 Oct 1876.

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James Pollock Philadelphia Pa

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Treasurer U. S.

(This letter of advice is to be forwarded to the Disbursing Officer or Agent.)

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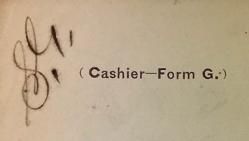
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Rec't 28 Oct 1876.

The Nevada Bank Tan Francisco. San Francisco, Cal 24th Cel 1816 Hon Jas Pollock Superintendent of the Muit Philadelphia We forward you this day to. Wells Fargo Ho Supress on account of a sale to the Loverment of Ox: 500,000 fue filver deliverable to you at the price of \$1.183/4 gold & fruit OL: as & specefication herewith, 112 bars Ox: 130.195.95 - fuie Of: 129.941.50 @1183/1- 154.305.53 which sum approximately, please pay upon delivery to our agents TheBank of New York nBa This Selver is marked "Q" which please Neep with other of lide mark mi a separate accaunt I new anis Lui yours very respectfully Casher

Nevada Bank 27 Oar 1876 Forw &B., "C" oz. 129,941 50 @ 1183/4. Read 4: no 76



## Treasury of the United States,

Washington, Od. 27th. 1876.

Sir:

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Very respectfully,

Jac & Pileas Treasurer U. S.

Insperintendent M.D. Mint Philadolphia

Sjelfillan A.T. Hashington 27 Oct 1876 acku \$30,000 Rélvers

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Creasury Department, October 27 ; 1876. You will please forward to this Office as early as practicable a detailed Stalement of fine Silver delivered at your mund by Mepro for feligman, too new took under Sale made by them of 300,000 omers a 115/2 per ource fine. Shave also to request that you will forward a statument. of all purchase made by you over your counter as the same is necessary to anable this Office to Koop acoured account of the amount purchased. Hon fas Pollvek Very respectfully
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J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO. New York, Oal B 1876

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We beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the Tot inclosing Theo \$69007 = for our Shipments of 213 Me enclose Receips Seguer by ris Art Seleguians 1277 Seljemant Co. 28 Oci 1876 Caesen \$69,004 7.3 for S.B.

Reed 30 Oct. 76

The Nevada Bank Tan Francisco, Louis M. Lane President J. C. Flood , Vice Resident N.K. Masten , Cashier San Francisco, Cal. 28 H Oct 1876 Ston James Pollack Superintendent of the muit Dir. Philadelphia Ou account of our sale to the Government of the 24th mislant, we forward you this day & Wells Fargo Has lepness bars filver as & sprafication herewith Ox: 95.039.65 = fine Ox: 94. 846. 80, 01183/4 = \$ 112.630.58 Gold which price, be good enough, on receipt of Bullion, to pay to our aquels, The Bank of new York MB.a. These bars are wear led "Q.V." which please Kup in separate account. I remain des yours very respectfully Alf Maolens Cashier

Southward of you have 30 Ch. 3x. 8x6. 80 many who Dr. 12.030.60 The day of how how to My 3 Hay in wharely account Last Last account of men as popular makes for ask be sand mountain on receipt the south word and my and a discourse 80.08d . 011 = 458/10 1500 July 250 Sold balance Sales . Why. as forese

## Anited States Mint, Philadelphia, Penn., superintendent's office,

October 31, 1878.

In reply to your questions, I answer, 1. The pune gold in a \$ 10 piece, is worth ten dollars. The alloy adds nothing Thereto. 2. What it costs a man to get his gold into coin, is another subject. Ite may have to pay charges for parting, or refining, or allow; I until lately, a charge for coinage also. On pure gold, 1000 fine, ere make no charges, or rather, ere never get it. Mor do eve charge on gold very near absolute purity. 20 ors. fine, months make 221.222 ounces in coin. On other gold, of all grades, which we part and make nearly pune, we charge for copper alloy; at such vate that 20 vences, my 800 fine, making "330.76 in coin, mould pay H cents. It would also pay a parting charge, 4 cents her ox.

I very elight proportion of silver alloy is necessarily left in from the parting oper ation; this is not really a charge, although it is technically accounted for, as such. You may thus see why the dispute is illy understood; and further, that it is about a Small matter. - Before gold is coined, its value is not fixed; when coined, it is precise. This is one great use of coinage a sold sopen Describer of one information a sold sopen Sapo ! J. L. Stark Gy Union City, Mich

Hon Och Sinclymans Philachlefhia fas Dearsig! on your lime for a moment, ance ask if you will blean answer the following disfuled and illy unclistered quistions: What is the real value of the Pure Gold in a U.S. Zen dollar (810,00) Gold Coin, and the value of the alloy in the If a man were to deposit for Coinage, Pay- Twenty-owners of fure gold at the hint,

what weight in Bold Coin would be receive in return thousand Union leilz. Branch les Knich.

Littert Union Physicish. 29 Oct. 1878. Ingriries about value of gold and alloy in coins, Cour chinas for gold deposited. Man: A Alsaya herein. Res Oct. 32/78

Treasury Department, Cluber 30, 1876. I have to advise you of the purchase on the 24th usland of blefus pt 11. feligman 400. New Nork of how hundred throwand onners fine silve infordeliving at your mint, and to be paid information to the paid Sistem and one half cents (116/2) for onner fine by draft on aprelant Junemer at Nywork The Charges for transportation from Now york to Philadelphia will be paid by you from Silver Profit Fund. Very respectfully Honforms Pollock N. Wdinderman Duntor Philadelphyn

2000 1876.

Notifying of purchase from IrW Seligman + Co. of of 200,000, fine SB, @ 11.16 & gold.

Reed 31 Oct 76.

Treasury Department, October 30,4876. Referring to my letters of cur - rent date advising your of the purchase of fine Silver fordelivery atyon mint amounting in the aggregate to One million eight hun died and sixty thousand ormers of have now to inform, you that in order to enable you to make pay ment for the same Shave requested the fearlang of the Treasury to come your bullion fund to be monardby a housefur of two melion two hum died thousand dollars (\$2,200,000) in gold com and that the amount be placed to your Official cuvit

with the assistant Treasurer of
The United States at new York

Very respectfully

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Hon James Poel och John Mintofthe 126 Philadelphia 1282 2.M., 30 Oct 1876,

See. Treas. requested to place \$2,200,000 gold to cedit of B.F. at a.T., M.J., ho pay for S.B. purchased,

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

October 30", 1876. The authority to advertise for Dive Phonsaud founds of nickel and a Small quantity of Din and Zinc, requested in your letter of the 28th instructed is hereby granted Ocespectfully) Hespectfully) Directo . Odon, James Pollock, Og Supt. Med, Mink Philadelphia Jenna.

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Authorizing adot for 3000 lbs niekel and alixle Tin & Zine, fir Minor Coinage.

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Creasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

October 30 1876. Thave to request that you will Cause three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) inhalf dollars to be Comed as larly as practicable. Very respectfully Duedos Hon James Rollock
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Philadlephia

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Red 31 Oct 76.

Treasury Department, October 30, 1876. I have to advise you of the few Chase from # O, French, Egg 94 Browny New Hork of fine Silver amounting in the aggregate to one million one hundred and suly thousand (1.160,000) orners fine, for delivery atyon mut, and which silver is to be paid for in gold Coin by draft on the apretant Treasurer Upat him york, at the rate of one

hundred and eighten and then quarter cents (1183/4) per or mer fine The Changes for transportation on this Silver from

new york, well be paid by sprinform "Sihn Profit #med"

I am informed by Mr

thench that the first metallment of this purchase say 250,000 monnes well be delivered atyour mut in about ten days and the balance in installments everytheworfoundays. I have so doubt that the subic amount fourchased from hvothench will be determed bif on the 25th protine, and you should make all maifany arrangements for newing the same. Conjustacefully A Robinson war Duelos

Hongames Pollock

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20 Oct 1876

Notifying of purchase from F.O. French, My, of oz. 1,160,000 fine SB. @ \$1.183/4 gold, No be delivered thirty.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

October 30, 1876.

Thave to advise you of the purchase on the 27th instant of five hundred thousand (500000) omers fine Silver from the Nevava Bank of fan Hrancisco, to be delivered at your mint, and found for in gold com by draft on aprelant heasur by new york at the rate of one hundred and eighten ond thru quarter (1183/4) couls for once find. Som informed by the President of the Novava Bank that Shipment of the above mentioned selver would be commenced on the 27th Instantano Completed on the 2 profeins, and he

requests that payment thursforte made to their agents. The Brank of New York Very respectfully Denetor Hon James Pollvik John Mintofllu lift Philadelphia

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Reed 31 Oct 16

The Nevada Bank Fan Francisco, Louis Mc Lane President J. C. Flood Fice President N. K. Masten Cashier San Francisco, Cal. 3 oth Oct 1876 Hon Jas Pollock Supernitued net of the Muil Dear Sir: Philadelphia Pa Ou account of our sale of the 24 th nielaut, We forward you this day A Wells Fargo + to Enpres, as pospecifica. tion herewith 46 Bars fuie Silver Ox: 93.844.70 = fine 04:93.735.72 01183/4 = 4 111.311.14 Cold which price please pay, upon delivery, to our agents The Bank of Moder MBa I ray hade note that this Bullion is marked "OV" and keep the same in account accordingly.

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The Hernda Bank Fan Francisco, Louis Mc Lane President J. C. Flood , Vice President N.K. Masten , Cashier San Francisco, Cal. 31 st Oct 1876 The Supermetendant of the Mint, Philadelphia On account of our sale of the 24th mistaul, we to day forward you A Wells Fargo Hog Express yy bars fine filver as p specification herewith Ok: 95878.70= fue Ox: 95.779.83 @ 1183/4 #113.738.55 which price upon receipt please pay Loons agents The Back of New York This Bullown please make is mark Jours very respectfully ed "@"

Oct 1876 fr 31 Form. 77 bans SB. 75,779 23 @ 118 3/4 Jones De 8 d . L . C. D. B.

A. S. Coast Survey Office. Mashington, D. C. O1 30/76 My dear Lir, I lave sent ly Eapres - prejle faid - a small box, ad druced to myself. le gour case. Il contains a trong found, which I twish to Lave very accurately compand wilt the gilt standard Tray for of the Mint, by my friend and anistate, br. f. H. Lave, who will within some days, call afon you for that purpose In order to obviate any formal 

lifficulty, I have asked De Linderman to sur of the authority, if he drews it recurany. Your with fred refuse us. Inpulied f Mes, Mens?

Austrant Survey
Washington D.C.,
30 Oct 1876

Compand with Mint Nandard by & Haul. Whis approval requested.

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Rec's 1 nov 1876,

Burner of Weight & Measures U.S. Coast Survey Office. H. R. Linderman, En Washington, 31 - BA 1876 Director of the Mint I am desirous of Laving the brog found, which serves as Plandard in the Bureau of Weight, and Measures, very carefully verified by companion with the U.S. Handard found of the Mint, and to that end would ask you to authorize the Superintendent of it Mint in Philadelphia to allow the latter to be used for the purpose by my assistant, lor & Homer Lane who is very expect in operations of that kind. Very respectfully Les Hilgande Lands

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Reed 2 Mov 1876.

Treasury Department,

October 31,1876.

Refusing to your letter of the 28th metant your are suformed that a monthly statement showing in detail the siton pur chases muse by you will answer the purposes of this Office.

Very sespectfully

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Honfax Pollock

Thib Monthly

Philadelphia

1288. D.M. 31 Oct 1876

Send monthly statement of Silver Rurchases.

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## Treasury Department,

FIRST COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

Washington. D. C., Ochther 3/4, 1876.

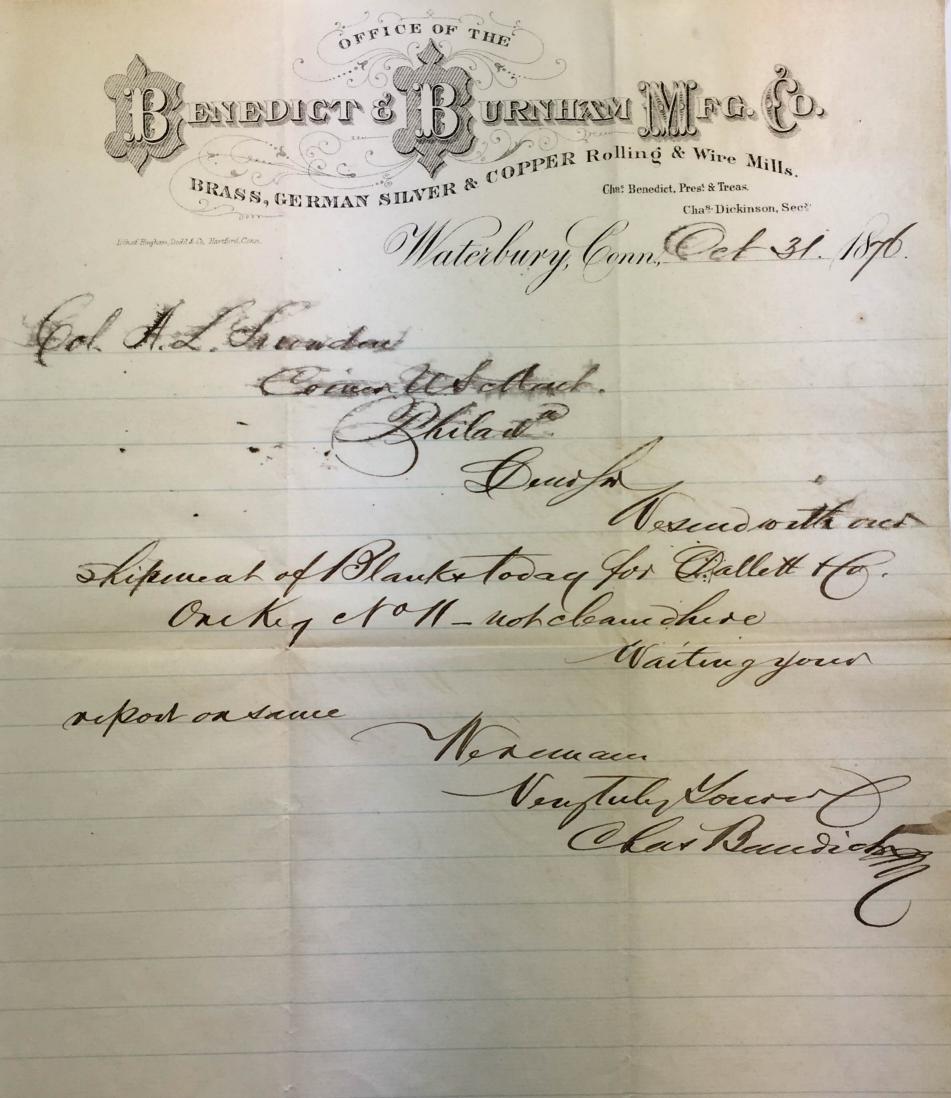
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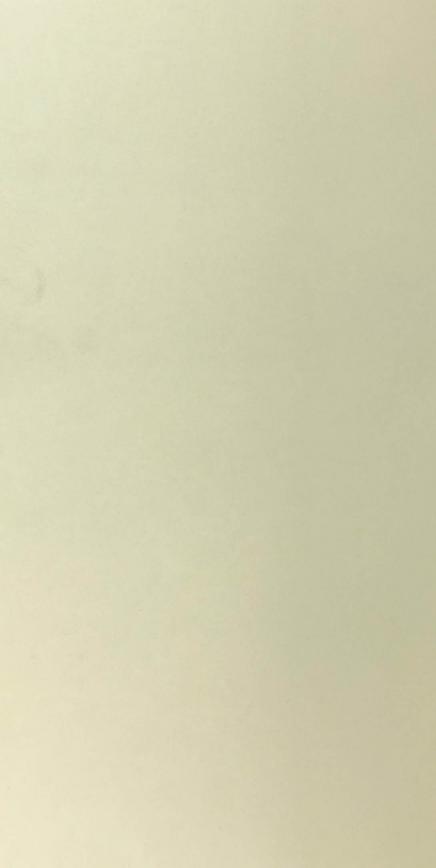
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# Mint of the United States,

MELTING AND REFINING DEPARTMENT. 3/st October 1876 Hon, James Pollock Ouperintendent Dear Dir Ferenith please receive the reports on the workings of Told and Dilver in this department during the month of festember. In Opite of the large amount of business which we have had, the melhings have been quite enceasful, the only drawback being the apparent average loss in Gold, approaching the legal limit of wastage, This however is without the Dweep, array Plips, or monthly graines which always diminish the rate of loss, and sometimes largely. Respectfully yours Table Booth make

JC Book mxR 31 Out 1876 Forw. Reports G. & Shorking, September. Reéd 31 Oct 76.

AINES SAPETY ENVELOPE CO.



## Treasury Department,

Movember 10, 1876.

I have to request that you will cause to be prepared and ship to the Mint at Carson the following dies for the Calender year 1877: 6 obverse trade dollars 20 neverse Half dollars Half do 20 do Duarter do Duarter do do Demes Demes 50 8 do Double Gagles Double Eagles 12 Oagles. 6 1/2 lagles 4 do 14 lagles 3 do Alon. Jas. Pollock Ro. Treston

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Ordering dies for Carson, 1877.

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Jas Althorn Fransea Brisble Co maes, 10 nor 1876

Offering Continental bill & good 1775.

Red Nos. 13/76

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passed at Philadelphia Thousander 2 9th/775" the Belisom a very good state of preservation only having the edges grawd mishmue it being the centermeal, gear and asyou are exhibiting somerny currous things I thought perhaps you might like behave tom four museum of James Althorn, Stransea Village Bustol County map

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Superior to the left Mint Philadelphia DEurfir -I have to advise Today the receipt of 250.000 og more or left of fine silver to be delivered at the Mint in Philadelphin at 1183/4 fold net per 3- the mint bearing all charges of melting and assay, together with the Express charges from New York. The details please find herewith. This lot of silver goes our by Express on Bronday morning and should be delivered to gon during business hours of that day. I am advised by the Director of the Shint that you will advance upon receift to to. of the nominal amount. Phase make the check payable to Super. Leon Hoffmann He. though whose hands this is formanded to you Respectfully M. Wend

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

November 11", 1876.

Chris- Your letter of the 10th just, enclosing antificate of deposit for \$ 166.19 in Com, Ind been received and certificato transmitted to the Genetary of the Chensury.

> Respectfully Reston Acting Directors

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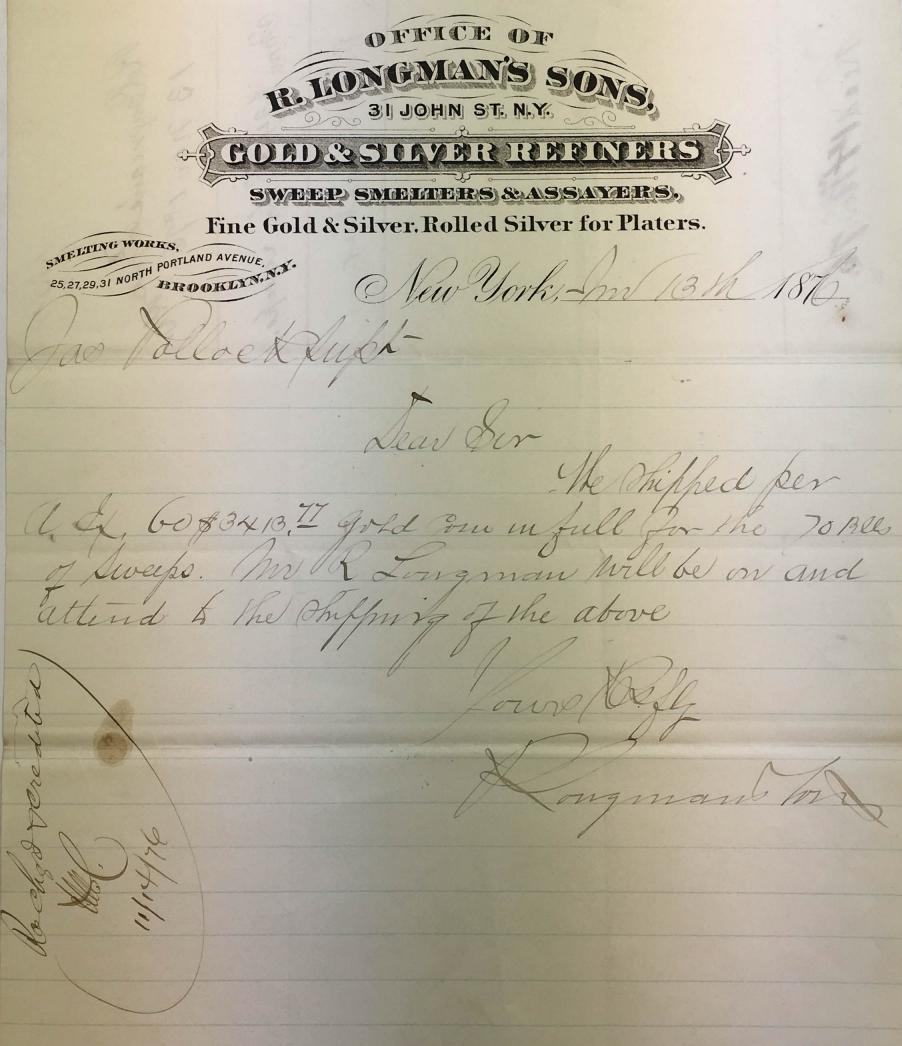
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From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street,

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To

W. Loudon Inverden 629 W. S. Mint

Dear Sis, We have today Sent up to the mint 3 kegs one cent blanks en 45 m = 225.000 preces

Sours truly John Dauel 16:

## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., 100. 13 , 1876.

I enclose for your information a counterfeit half dollar composed of antimony, lead and tin, received from the Usit, Beasurer at New York. Lou will please neturn the puece entact, after examination, to this Office.

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Hon. Jas. Pollock, Acting Dirictor Dupt. Mint U.

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James Pallocks Director 2 Dir. Buffalo-16. Nov. 14th 18)6 large-sized U.S. copper cents, that I am desirous of selling. Hoes the mint buy there and what are they worth? Ho you buy them by the piece or pound. Any coin dealer would by some of them at good prices, but I wish to dispose fall of them at once. Any information you can give me as to the best way to dispose of them will be gratefully received. I have in the neighborhood of seventeen founds, all U.S. coppers.

Respectfully yours,

Thomas St.

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#### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Nov. 16, 1876.

Sir In reply to your letter of the 13 th inst. relative to dies for the Mint at Carson, I have to request that the following be made Short guage: 20 obverse quarter dollar, 15 reverse quarter dollar 30 obverse dime, 25 reverse dime. All of the dies will be hardened at the Mint at Carson.

> Mery prespectfully Rolling Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock, Sups. Mint Uf. Philada

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#### Office of Assistant Treasurer A. S., Cincinnati, Ohio, Novbr 16th, 1876.

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Creasury Transfer Order cho. 3795 for Antideary selver coin, drawn on you in favor of this affine has not been filled, and this affect is much in need of coins of the denomination therein specified.

It will be a quat accomodation to us to receive the amount at as early a date

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Office of Assistant Treasurer U.S., CINCINNATI, OHIO,

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asks that Trampor order 3795- 50000ff be filled as soon as posible.

As such order has been received at this Office.

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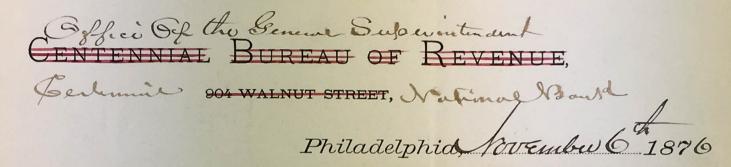
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O. C. BOSBYSHELL, Esq.

UNITED STATES MINT,

PHILADELPHIA:

Please fill the following Order:-

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Veryreekeetfully, N. R. Linderman Director.

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## Treasury Department, office of the director of the mint, Movember 6,7876.

The will confine your silon coinage during the current month to halves and quarter, say \$800,000 in halves and the balance quarters.

Dery respectfully Abdunderman

Honfamus Polevik flift mind 119 Philosophia 1314 L.M. 6 nov 1876

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### Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., Weshington, D. C., Weshington, D. C.,

Alon James Pollock, Just alminh, Philadelphia.

The designation of Mr. O.C. Boshyshell to act as Coiner of your Mint during the temporary absence of the Coiner, cubnitted in your communication of the 6th insh, is hereby approved.

Herefree pectfully,

Herefree pectfully,

Director.

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Read 8 Mon 1876

(Accounts-Form L.	Greasury of the United States,  DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS,  November 8 4, 1876.
The following to you from	ransfer orders have this day been issued for transportation of funds  M. J. Assay office, New York, my  AMOUNT.
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NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, MY = 8 - 1876.

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Outentul 21. S. Smint Philadelphia You are aware of the prenchase though to Director of the Snink though me of 1.160.000. og. more or lep, of fine silver in Europe. to be delivered at the Shint in Philade. at 118 3/4 gold not per og. fine, the mint bearing all changes of melting and assay, together with the express charge es from New York. The first wotalment under this contract is forworded by Adams Express today by Repro. I ven Hoffmann of Co. of this city to whom a check should be sent on the ascertainments of the proper I have asked the Director to fermit you to make an approximate payment, upon this and future delivines, proliminary to the final assay. Respectfull Please fuid enclosed aspecification of 241 bours, so that in care of deficiency you any one, proper reclamation upon the seller com be made.

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Won Hoffmant Co 8 nov 1876 Forw, letter 7:0. French XS shipping SB, 241 bars, mostly 998. Enclosing 1320 20 Drench, 8 nov. Recis 9 nov 76.

Cashier-Form G.) Treasury of the United States, Washington, Nov. 9, 1876. Sir: I credit your account this day with Thirty thousand dollars, (\$30,000.#)
as a transfer of funds for Dilver low of like amount received by express D.D.# 3886 You send \$15,000, 1/2 \$5.000. 1/4" instead of 20,000, 1/2" ss & & Sax Salean V. S. enserintendent n.b. Mint I don't see how that could be been occurred. Ja There age the Zear Solls. I ought to have and Howe are the sear a store of that some other order for he auto he, been partially filled with Halaes - thus waking a compainting error. Howe been compelled to store a few hearts on the Half side lately. Silfillan AT, Washinghm 9 nov 1876

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# Oreasury Department, office of the director of the mint, 1876.

He are advised by #. O. French Esgr that a part of the Silver purchased from him fordelivery atyour himt has been shipped you through mepes 2. Von Hoffmanter of new York Mr French has requested that the approximate value of each lot be paid them on delivery, I see mo offection to your paying 75 or 80% of the invoice value of each bot, delivered. and you are horeby authorized to

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### Mint of the United States,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, November 6-1876.

Hom. James Pollock, Enperintendent.

In compliance with a request from Dr. Henry R. Sinderman Director of the United States Mint, it is motable, with your concurrence, that I will leave this City on Wednesday moving next to visit the Minto on the Pacific Gast. I had shoped that the time of Starting could be postponed until the latter hard of the present week - A letter received this morning from the Director women seem to midicate that this was impossible. The pressure upon me here is such as to render it extremely difficult for me to be abto the time of starting was the occasion of delay in informing your officially, of the matter, as well as to during my absence. The certainty of my gomy is not assured as yet - at the last imment I may find it impossible to go - Still in view of the mobability of my going I enclose a request

AL Frienden Loinev. tt. s Mint. 6 nov. 1876.

Relative to probable visit to Mestern mints in company with the Director.

Reed 6 nov 76

Mint of the United States, at Philadelphia, Hon. James Pollock Superinten Assay Department. Noon 15. 1876 Superintendent to the Dear Sir In reply to the several notes from messy Seligman Ho, Have to make the obvious remark, that this department of the mint is placed between the seller of bullion, and the Government; and that it is our duty to do justice to both parties. We have the means of doing it, and we try to do it invariably. In regard to solver punchases, our assays show some direcety, generally very Slight. Mose who are practised the melting and assay of silver, know very well that it cannot be as exact an operation as cyphering on a slate. The stamps of some

P. S. I should add, that while we assay to the 4, and our proof-assay will show the to,) we report always to the ½, except inpots for coinage. Consequently, a bar to the ½, except inpots for coinage. Consequently, a bar found found 9974, for instance, is reported 997. A bar found 9974, mill be reported 998, if there are fractions gained on other bars. Sufficient to justify it; otherwise, 997½.

trade assayers are generally a little below our assays, while those of others we find a little too high, and not as uniform as the invoices affirm. Hose capecially from the Balback Refinery, while they sometimes tally exactly with our results, and in a few instances are a trifle lower, are generally a trace higher than ours, say 4 to 2 thousandthe, Sometimes one thousandth. In three or four cases, where they reported 999, me found only 9974; confirmed by re-assay. The Silver assays of the U.S. assay office at New York, tally very closely mith ours. More who deal in bullion must count upon these slight variations, above and below. Bars from London, and Kambrurg, are often stamped a little lower than our cerults; bars pon San Francisco, are sometimes better, and Sometimes morse, by our finding. But the différence is small. Nery respectfully Mm & Dulbors

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Relative to letters of Jell, Seligman & Co, about Phila array: S.B., falling below stamp.

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Rec'd 15 nov 76

BANKING HOUSE J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO.

New York, Nov 13

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Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, Mov. 4 12 1876 Mr Jar Pollock Superintendent Il. Minh Saw Sin, I take the thebuty favor me with the Directors Reports of the M.S. Frints. I should like also to know the address of My Joseph Whaten, I have the home to some How whedient Sevant A Vallew Dorsmus.

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S. M. Savis Norwood M. Y. Och 31. 1876 How, reduced on for array. Record Now 6. 1876

Mint of the United States, COINER'S DEPARTMENT. Philadelphia, Nov-11 1876 Hon. James Pollock. Euprerinten dent. Sir. I en close herewith in compliance with a letter received by you from the Director of the Minh trus (2) Half Dollars struck from two (2) pair of dies tested here, and forwarded under instructions this day to San. Loancied The tech of these dies satisfied is of their character and we truck they may good satisfaction in San. I Lancised. land Meng Respectfully Hour obt Servens Houdonburdes Ly Corner

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## Mint of the Tuited States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Nov. 27 1876, Han. James Pollock Enpermitendent. In; Shave the hour to inform you that I have this day received the resignation of ellies Mary IV. Chambers as an Adjuster, to take effect on the Grist day of December- Very Respectfully Hun Obh Servant Bouden Fromters Comie 1406 A.L. Frienden Cojner 27 Nov 1876

Reporting resignation of Miss MM. Chambers Adjuster, Due 1 et

Read 27 nov 76

Mint of the United States, at Philadelphia, Assay Department. Novem 27.1876 Non: James Pollock Superintendent de f. In regard to the lot of silver bars from Messon Seligman bb; the assays of which are reported this day, I mish to state, that while our assays generally run quite close to the London Invoice (slightly under,) we find a few wide differences, as proved by repeated arrays; the difference being in favor of the seller. Thus, of three bars reported by them 983, ere find one 9842, & the other two 998. again, four bass invoiced at 992, ene find 996. 9962, 9962, and 995. We wish this stated to them, in order to repel the supposition of mistake in this office. Very respectfully /m E Du Bors

1405 H. G. Dul Bois Assayer 27 Nov, 1876

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### Mint of the United States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Neveruber 25th, 1876, Hon James Pollock, Luperintendent. Mr. Oat representing Mes. J. Oat + Son, agrees to take old scrap copper in the Medal work, in exchange for new, in the proportion of thirty-four (34) lbs old copper for twenty-five (25) lbs of new. This is the beel arrangewent that can be made with this old scrap, and I hope you will approve of it.

Very Respectfully You Obr Lewant Douden Friendery Courier.

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J. Oat & Son offer to take old scrap copper & five new in Exchange on certain terms, Recom, acceptance of Proposal.

Rec's 25 nov. 76.

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Director Jus mint Der Sir. Mould you please inform me if both side of a coin are stamped at the same time. Tif not incompatible with the interests of the Lovernment. I would like to inquire the maker of pressex. Very recpy 7m Imilian

Bhilson ny 17 nov. 1876. Making inquiries about process of Coining. Not tibe answered.

Ree'd 18 nov 1876.

# Mint of the United States,

Kon James Follock
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on Bullion melting for the month of October. You will observe that the amount delivered by

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Ounces per months or more than 61 gross tons of

D'Iver, Since the coins make one half of what

is delivered to the Loiner, we are making 30 tons of

Dilver comper month, averaging 16 tons of coin

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There is no other remarks to make on the melting except that the ratio of loss on filver is a little heavier than usual, probably due to the fact that fine of the filver blistering when rolled, induced me to obvinte this by a little fluxing; which always augments the lose.
Respectfully yours Jath Booth mrR.

J. C. Booth mr R 17 nov 1876 Forw Bullion Operations Melping, October.

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Milwankee November 11th 1876 Novemberyth 1876 to the Honorable Officer the Head of the Mint at Philadelphia Penry loane & Eur Friend will you Please to Enlighten me Sam Teading for Copper and change is very Lance out here for 100 Pounds of Copper How many Pounds of Copper cents of the Small kind do you give in exchange for the 100 Bounds of Copper Pleas & also to Let me know whether you have Any Agests At Chicago. My Address is Milwanker Hamover Sheet 319 Wif Robert Downey Wisconsin

Rowney Milwaukee Wis. 11 Nov. 1876. Acko how marry cents are given for 100 lba Copper.

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#### R.E. DOAN,

Attorney at Law & Anited States Commissioner,

Wilmington, Q. Nov- 64-1876

United States Mint ?.
Philadelphia Ma?

Dear Sirs -

· I represent a compan dealing in Coffen found in Jexas. The Coffen yelds 70 per cent to the 100 lbs. There is about 10 per cent of I love What would this van be worth for ton Say at Demicson Texas on the M. /E & J. Rail road The compan will commence getting the oar out in the next 30 days. Please write me in full, gwing your views de as to the heat method gwaling it. I prospectog sall in The var or Sme ted. As ever de P. E. Doan

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## Mint of the United States,

CHHEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Novi 16 = 1876.

Hon James Pollsck Enperintendent.

I had the honor on the 26 th day of September last to nominate for practions in this Department, John P. Kelley as an anniealer, Frank Ho. Coles as a Coutter, and William R. Kean as a Cleaners. These persons were recommended respectively by Judge Kelley, With Kemble and others,

Jun R. Leeds, D. Lunderman and others.

Not having heard from you ar the subject of again direct your attention to my of the Rolling and Cutting branches of our work miposes upon the Cleaning Room more than can be done properly, with the present force. The men in that room are behind in the work, and the amount thrown upon them to really more than we should ask there men to do - The health of the foreman and one or two others is quite un-I have to defend in other . paned .

branches of my work upon men taken sin from outside of my Department, which of thered not be compelled to do. transmit these nominations. How OH. Sewant Buden hunder Joiner. 1361 Al Donowden Coiner, 16 nov. 1876.

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#### CENTENNIAL BUREAU OF REVENUE,

904 WALNUT STREET,

Philadelphia, for 2712 1876

O. C. BOSBYSHELL, Esq.

UNITED STATES MINT,

PHILADELPHIA:

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Creasury Department, THE MINT,

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Amfanus Rollock Sinft mutofthe heg Philadelphia 1296. D.M. 2 nov 1876

Returning for correction Coinage Report weekending Oct 28.

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

November 3, 1876.

Shave to advise you of the four Chase on the 1st instant of Mefers for M. Jeligmanter ben York of two hundredand fifty thousand (250,000) onners, fine selver for delivery at your hunt, and to be paid for in good com at the rate of One hundredand Seventeur tone half center (117/2) per onne fine by draft on the apistant Treasure Ugat New York The Charges for transportation from New York to Phila orlphia, will be paid by you from Silver Roft Hund. Very respectfully Honfsines Pollock

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Philadelphia H. W. Linderman

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Mohfynger Ruschase from IN Velignaur Co. of oz 250,000 SB., @ 11/2.

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## Treasury Department,

Av. 3, 1876,

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Sir,

In a letter addressed to you this morning I instructed you to with a beduchen in the number of famile adjusters, the list appearing who larger than hecessary. Jence that letter was closed I have Examined the Register of this Office and find that a Considerable number of the adjusters perform duty on the Coming Room. This changes the asked of the Care materially and for may regard my mestruction, wifeferen to a Juduction as flethdrann, very Respectfully I Kdendoman Hon fas Pollvek Suft muttes Philadelphia

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### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., November 3", 1876.

Oi:

In view of the large amount of silvers which will be delivered at your mint during the measurements for you to make the mecessary arrangements for the receipt and melting the Same with all convenient despatch.

The vast throng of visitores at the Mint must interfere with the chandling and transfer from one room to another of so large a quantity of Silver and I think! you should, after the 10th sproning, make

Some regulation to prevent the admission of a larger mumber of visitors than can conveinently be shown around and without filling up the hall and passage ways, I had hoped that done arrangement might be made to relar the Gilver Comage, but the Gecretary deemed it important to meet the demand for Buch coin to the fullest extent spracticable, apleast until the mutuing of Congress, therefore, you will have to Keep up that comage to the present rate. The munker of females employed as ad = = justered and in the Coining room appeared take excessive, The necessary reduction should de made at the close of the present month. There is no objection to retaining as many all work can be found for but cheyoud this, painful as may be the duty of making a

discharge, the law will mat allow us to go. In whatever reduction may be made, a Sufficient mumber of Skilled and experienced adjustino, Donteros, cleaneros and Counteres, must de retained. H. R. Linamuan Mon James Pollock, Duperintendent Med, Mint 3 Philadelphia, Penna. 3

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## Treasury Department,

Mov. 3, 1876.

Vin Acknowledging your letter of yesterday, in which you appoint Mr. O. C. Bosby shell to act as Coiner during the expected absence of that Officer, I have to say that it will be better to have the written consent of the Coiner given and filed with your letter of appointment. When this shall have been received, the appointment of Mr. Bosbyshell will be considered as approved, whenever the Coiner Shall start on his proposed brip. Mery nespectfully A R Luderman Hon. Jas. Pollock, Director. Slupi, Mint Uf.

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#### Creasury Department,

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Treasury Department, Nov 4/1, 1876.

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# Mint of the United States, CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT. Philadelphia, Novv 13th 1876. Hon. James Pollock, Guperintendent. I have the honor to request permission to erect in the looning Room the old lowing Press of 1836, upon which to strike the small denominations of Venezuela Com. Imake this request to as to facilitate this Comage - which it is important to issue at as early a day as possible. The expense attending this exection will be borne by the representatives of that Government. I have the hour to be your Oft. Verrant Boudon Frontes Comer Approven Nas 13. 1876 Helevel

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Requesting Remission Ao west Coming Press of 1836, for Venezuelan Coin.

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Reed 13 nov 16

The Novada Bank Fan Francisco. Louis Mc Lane President J.C. Flood ; Vice President N.K. Masten ; Cashier San Francisco, Cal. MM Mov. 1876 Som Jackollacell Superintendent of the unit Sir. Mhaledelphia On account of our sale to the Government of the 24th mistant me formand you this dake presses Fires Frees Express Thirty four bars fine Silver as & specification herewith

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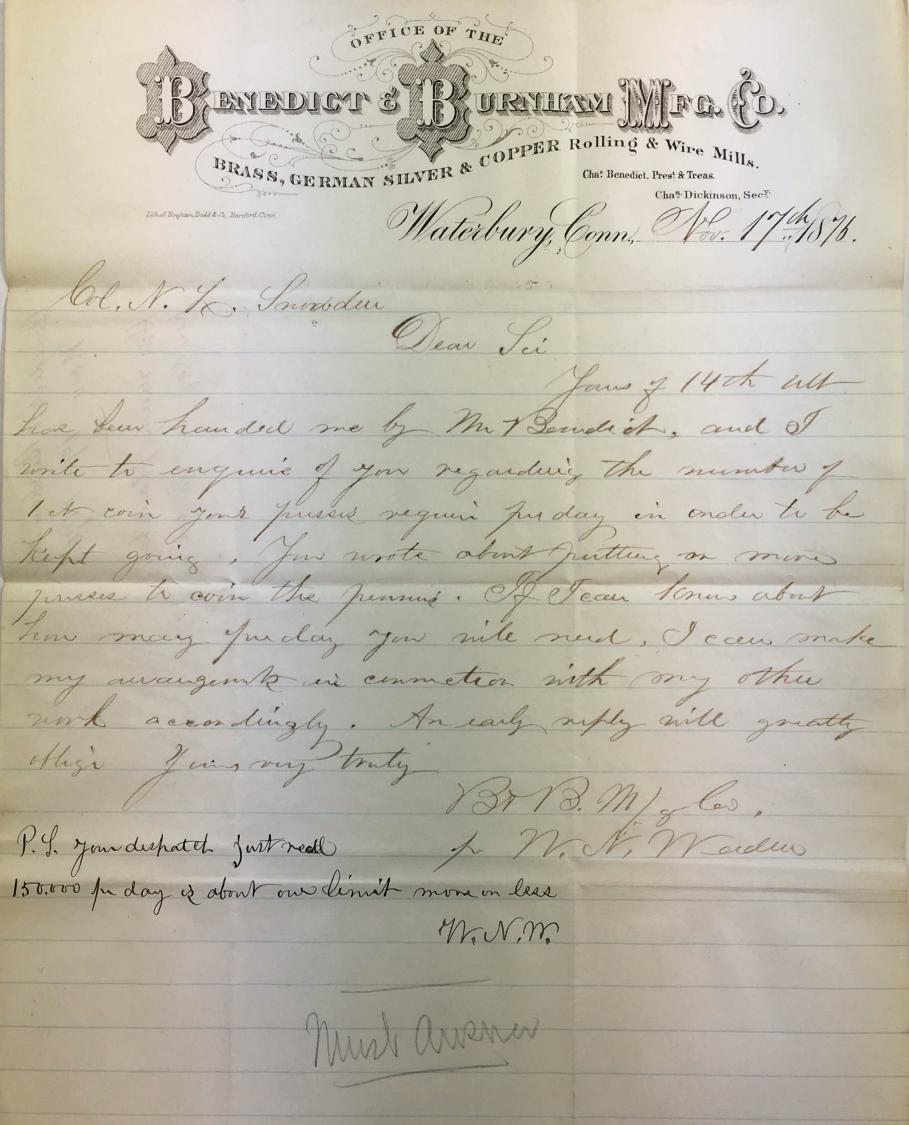
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From

#### JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

PHIL'A Nov 18th 1876

To

W. Loudon Frewden Esq U. S. Mint

Cach 75.000 Small blanks - total 150.000.

The weather has been against our ladding today so that we can take all kegs ready up to Wednesday morning.

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#### MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

PHIL'A how 20th 1876

a. Loudon Inowden Esq Ub. S. Mil

John Pallett 6:

Today we Sent up Kege no: 27 and 28 each 75:000 Small blanks. Mr Benedict writes us under date of 18th "Week when we think we can send you regularly 150.000 One Cent and 50.000 two thaff cent- every day or its equivalent. It will use our best means to complete the job la it can be all shipped before 1" Fil it possible. Your truly

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NW, 20, 1876.

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OFFICE OF RMSTRONG & CO Paper Bags, Flour Sacks, &c. WHOLESALE PAPER DEALERS, N. W. Corner Third and Race Streets, Philadelphia, Nov 201876 Hon Jan Pollock Director le s missel Me have an order for Five Hundred (500) Filor Dude Dollars - Oleano inform is whether we can Oblain them at the Phila. delphia Mint and also what the premium on thece will be. By so doing you will Ablige Gardbell Sent Amstongthe

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Av 21", 1876.

fir: Barn advised by the Treasurer of the United States that there is an orgent demand for quarter dollars Iwill thank you to cause a quantity Say from \$250,000 to \$300,000 to be comed as early as practicable Very respectfully R. E. Heston aching Denetor

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# Treasury Department,

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November 21 4, 1810.

In addition to the Vilven which has been heretafore reported to you as punchased for delivery alyour Ment, I have the honor to inform you that there was purchasted from Messnes J. and W. Odligman & Co, of New York on the 8" inst., (5 too) Hilly thousand onneed which is take paid for in gold Coin by draft on the Assistant Treadmen at Mono York, at the rate of 1171/2 cents open ource fine. Respectfully, Red Treston Acting Director

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### CIRCULAR RELATING TO REQUISITIONS FOR BOOKS AND BLANKS, AND STATIONERY.

1876.

Department No. 58.

Secretary's Office.

## Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., April 26, 1876.

#### BOOKS AND BLANKS.

I. Requisitions for all forms contained in Catalogue No. 830, (issue of 1876,) should be addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury. It will be observed that the forms heretofore furnished from the Register's Office, Bureau of Statistics, Light-House Board, and Supervising Architect, are now incorporated in the Catalogue, and should therefore be ordered on Form 831.

II. Officers of the Customs at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, San Francisco, and New Orleans, should so far anticipate their wants as to obviate the necessity of ordering oftener than once a Ween of the Officers of the Customs, Assistant Treasurers, Designated Depositaries, Cashiers of Officers of the Revenue-Marine and Depositaries, Surgeons of the Marine-Hospital Service, and supply of all forms needed.

III. Semi-annual requisitions should be forwarded on the first of January and July of each year, and should state that they are for the six months ending June 30, or December 31.

IV. It is particularly desired that officers confine their requisitions to the periods mentioned in section II. Supplemental requisitions should be avoided as far as possible, and the necessity for making them ought never to arise except in cases where the wants of officers could not be anticipated at the time of forwarding regular requisitions, as, for example, when a new form is introduced which an officer is required to use; in such case a special requisition should be made, with an explanatory note in margin.

V. Requisitions should be made on the prescribed forms, and informal orders will not receive attention. The articles requested must be fully described: i. e., the Catalogue number and title should be given, but not the "Part" and Regulation No. of form. The letters or numbers should run progressively, the latter given in figures.

VI. Only the forms actually needed, and the probable quantity of each required, should be requested. When less than 100 of any given blank is required they should be ordered in quantities of 5, 10, 20, 25, 50, or 75.

VII. Whenever a form cannot be designated, or a doubt exists as to its number, a copy (if a blank,) or leaf (if a book,) should be enclosed with requisition, if practicable.

VIII. Naval officers, surveyors, and appraisers of merchandise will forward requisitions for forms needed in their offices through the collectors of their respective ports. Similar requisitions made by officers of the revenue marine must be approved and forwarded by the collectors of the ports at which the vessels are stationed.

- IX. When blank steamboat-inspection certificates (see Catalogue, p. 47) are needed by officers of the customs, they will not be ordered upon the same sheet of Form 831 with customs forms, but upon a separate and distinct sheet of said form.
- X. Requisitions must be properly briefed (the name of chief officer, and not that of deputy or assistant being given) before transmittal, and letters of notification of transmission of forms must be signed, briefed, and promptly returned, as receipts, to the Department.
- XI. Chief officers of the customs will keep physicians in charge of marine patients supplied with the necessary blank forms. Promptness in forwarding supplies to physicians when received from the Department is especially enjoined upon such officers.
- XII. National banks should order Form 37 ("Certificates of Deposit") at least one month before needed for use.
- XIII. Articles of stationery must not be included in requisitions for blank forms, nor should blank forms be ordered in stationery requisitions.

#### STATIONERY.

The following regulations must be observed in making requisitions for stationery:

- XIV. Officers of the customs at New York will order monthly; at Boston, Philadelphia. Policy Orleans, and San Francisco, quarterly. Officers of customs at all other nearly, by calendar half years, exsir supplies of stationers, who will order annually.
- XV. As the Department does not furnish blank forms for the purpose, requisitions for stationery must be made on the ordinary official paper, and a copy of each requisition should be retained by the officer making it, for reference.
- XVI. In order to give ample time for the printing of paper and envelopes, requisitions calling for these items should be forwarded at least one month before they are needed for use.
- XVII. On account of the liability of freezing, ink and mucilage will not be shipped later in the fall than October, nor earlier than April, in the spring. Officers will govern themselves accordingly in making requisitions, and secure a supply of these articles for the winter before cold weather.
- XVIII. When samples are enclosed in requisitions they should be attached thereto, to prevent their being lost in the opening and distribution of the mail.
- XIX. Books, blank forms, Department circulars, synopses of decisions, letter scales, postage stamps, and office furniture should not be included in stationery requisitions.
- XX. When stationery or books and blanks are forwarded by express, the charges thereon are invariably prepaid; but, on all shipments by freight, the charges are to be paid by the officer receiving the goods, who will forward the receipts, as vouchers, with his account of contingent expenses.
- XXI. All Rules and Regulations heretofore issued which conflict with the provisions of this Circular are hereby rescinded.

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Me Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., Ovember 220, 1876. Washington, D. G., Jovems

Juperintendent U.S. Affint,

Philadelphia, Pá. You are requested to inform the Department whether your requisition for Thationery, of the 20th instant, is intended to cover the period required by Department Circular Mass, current Series-copy Enclosed. Douching the quality of the Stationery Jurnished you, alluded to in your letter trans mitting Requisition, you are informed that the Department aims to purchase, and Supply

Ao its officers, under the law regulating the Same, the best articles of Efmerican manufacture, Very Respectfully Swint Assistant Secretary. Ou's.

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# Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., NOWWEY, 22,876.

Sir, Referring to your Bullion Accounts for the Seend Quarter, 1846, I have to inform you that it will be necessary for you to furnish bouchers chowing thoreceipt by Meson & Kelly Flo and Saidlaw & Co of the sums claimed to have been paid then amounting to 823, 924.82, uprespectfully. Am James Tollock, Rogheston Heling Dinelor.

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Wants Vouchers for Bullion of 20 gu 1876, auts paid to C. Kelly \* Co and Laidlaw + Co. \$823,924.52

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MEMORANDUM of GOLD BULLION deposited at the MINT of the UNITED STATES

at Philadelphia, the 25 day of Noo

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Note.—This Memorandum is for the information of the Depositor, and is of no other Value.

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Payable at the Mint, only on presentation of the receipt of a corresponding date and number heretofore issued.

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JAMES POLLOCK,

Superintendent of the Mint.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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#### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 22d inst, neguesting that if possible the delivery of the Selver purchased from Veligman I co. be delayed for a few days, I have to say that we cannot delay Shipments, but have nequested that transfer orders on New York allay-Office be with-held for a Tou will probably not receive any more Deliver from Veligman V.Co. for a week or ten days. Hon. Jas. Rollock, & R. E. Greston

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#### M. D. BARTLETT,

## Attorney at Law.

Eau Claire, Wis., NOV. 23 do 1876

Superintendent United States Mint Bhiladelphia Benn.

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a short time ago the nyoning papers amounced that Robert R. Kinnon had died suddenly at Cheyonne and that Investigation seemed to point to foul play in his taking off. That a number of heroes and other property to the amount of nearly \$ 40.000, disappeared at his death and no trace of them has since been had. Saw informed that during Whr Kinnous stay in the Black Hills he accumulated about \$10,000. in gold which he had deposited in the Wint at Philadelphia. Is such the case, and if so does it yet remain there? I thought that if there was any truth

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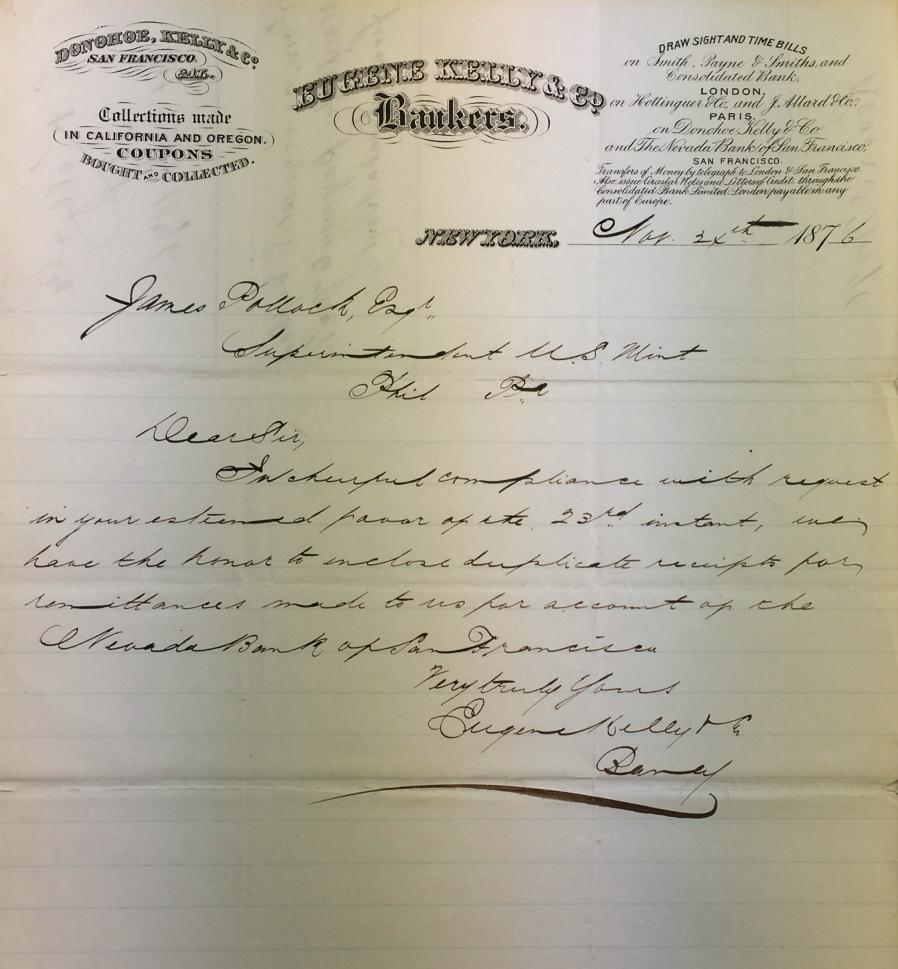
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Errors can be guarded against only by repeating a message back to the sending station for comparison, and the Company will not hold itself liable for errors or delays in transmission or delivery of Unrepeated Messages.

This message is an UNREPEATED MESSAGE and is delivered by request of the sender under the conditions named above.

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#### MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

PHIL'A NOV. 24th 1876

To

W. Loudon Inswden Esq U. S. Mins

Dear Sis, We now send you four kigs small blanks, nos 31 - 32 - 33 and 34 each containing 75.000 blankers - total 300.000.

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Yours truly Sohn Dauett 6°

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office of the director of the mint,
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# Mint of the United States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Dec. 5 # 1876.

How for Pollick. Superintendent-

I this day rummate for a position in the adjusting Room class chargie b. Murphy to take the place made racant by the resignation of Miss May Chambus - This nommation is made in response to a request contained in a letter to the Heaverable Lecretary of the Treasury and by him transmitted through the Chief of the appointment Division of the Frearing Department to this affice, under date of December 4th 1876.

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# Orensury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., Spender, 10, 1876. Mes Pollock.

Son James Pollock. Gubt. ale. Minh. Philadelphia. Jir.

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#### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Movember 10, 1876.

I have received your letter of yesterday enclosing a communication from the British & onsul at Philadelphia, relative to the Selver question. A similar letter was neceived

by this Office from Mr. Kortright, to which a neply was made.

Mery nespectfully Recently Acting Director.

Hon. Jas. Pollock Hupt Mint Uf 1332 ap, M. 10 nov 1876 R. E. Heston

Communication forms
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#### Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., Weshington, D. C., Weshington, D. C.,

Am James Pollock, Supt. Ale. Minh. Philadelphia. Jir.

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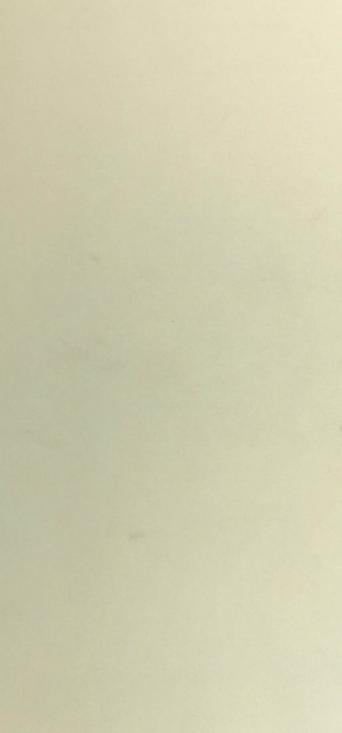
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U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1876/NOVEMBER (CONT.)





## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Secumber 15", 1876.

Monnetter of the 14" mist, enclosing doubt Of the First Wat. Bank of Chicago on the First Okational Bank of Philadelphia for \$1000 (endonded by you to the Gecretary of the Measury) with the uguest that Five But Mickels be sent in return, has been received and properly referred. Very Respectfully, Re Preston Acting Director Mon James Pollock, B Aught U.S. Mint 3 Philadelphia, Pan 3

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15 Dec (876

Ocku Order and off. \$1,000 First nat 13k. Chicago, for nimor Bin

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J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO. Me beg to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 14 inclosing fact \$154330 58 for Bars Disk Heef he hand your weeling The Demania

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## Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Lecember 16", 1870. Div: Other time of writing my letter of the 14" insto relative to the Settlement of M. Unowedn's accounts as coiner, I was under the impression that he would qualify all class Master immedi= I am glad tolean however, that make Monden will Continue as Comer until the remainder of the Granter, and Dettlement of his accounts will be made at the end of the quarter and thus prevent any Domplication whatever in the accounts. Very Respectfully, Restorm Acting Director, Hon Ja ARallock. Dupt. U. Minh Philas & Ola.

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### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

December 16", 1870.

Dir:
On reply to your letter of yesterday in relation to a notice received by you from the Assistant Greadurer at Boston, of the Shipments to you by Adam's Express Company, of minor comes for redemption, to the amount of \$ 1999- I am in = -formed by the Theadsurer of the M.J. that this amount is compased of two Cent bronze pieces, ald Copper centes and other ninor coins infilfor

It is motthe intention of the Department to for-= wand you minor Romes for redemption from any of the interpendent treasury offices named in the letter of the Secretary of the Greadury of the 11" inst., except the two Bent bronze, one cent old Copper and Buch one cent bronge, three and five cent mickels

ad are unfit for ainculation.

Very Respectfully,

Chairing Director. Mon-James Rollock. 3 Onft. U.S. Mint 3 Philas - Pa. 3

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Secember 16", 1870. Oir: Of practicable, I will thank you to Cause to be Comed about \$200,000 in halaces defore the close of the Current month, as I am informed by the Preasurer of the M.S. that this amount will be required. Mon James Rollock, 2 Angh Uf Mint Philas Pa.

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## Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Secenther 16", 1876. Qui: By direction of the Secretary of the Greening Opeturen herewith an order from L. J. Gage, Cashier 1st. War. BK. of Chicago for live Cent nickels to the amount of the accompanying check on the 1st. Nat, BK. of Philadelphia, for \$1000 - the Dame having been transmitted by you to this office under date of the 14" inst. The Secretary directs that in view of the fact that the assistant Cheadurer at Chicago that not a Dufficient amount in five cent mickels on hand to fill the orders, that the Same befilled by you in the usual manner. Respectfully RePreston Acting Directors Hon James Pollock, 2 Outt. mint. Philate 2

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Oreasury Department, Washington, D. C., SCOULLEY 61876. Thave requested the Seen tary of the masury to eause to be advanced you to meet the expenses of the Refining) in connection with your Minhthe Dund of Leven Neurdre D Hallans, payable from the appropriation for "Jarting " Refining Bullion" Verynespeelfully), Hon Jas. Pollock, Schila Mint.

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CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT. Philadelphia, Lees 1876, Hen famer Pollock, Inperintendent. Fir; It becomes my melan. choly duty to afficially notify In afthe death of George Heartseel forceman af the futters which took place this evening at 5 o'clock. His death deprives the Institution of a most excellent man. Shave the how to remain your Obl. Lewant Loudon morrdeug Janier.

Mint of the United States,

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Mica Me Jan 8th 1877 Aufrica of the Mint of the U.S. Dear Su Inceind a letter from you of Dec 28 th Des 1876 in anun to a letter of inquir datea the 15th Nov 1876 which you stated had never arrived I called upen The Jost Master at This place This merring and the produced a letter a copy of the recipe hegan mi and Drain, The Thilidelphia Tost mark acknowledging The ricip of The Letter of hugue you will lest it up and comply with The sequest contained in it (Ment respectfully yours & Am . O, Samilleger

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San 1877 Kelative to registered letter of nov. 15th, forwarding Relver. D'iled in 1525 of 1876, same writer. Rec'd// Jan 187/.

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## Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Secumber 18<sup>1</sup>, 1870. Chi: Dann advised by Dr. Bongano, that he purchased irond mouldes for Casting commercial band of Gold and Milver Consisting of Mine different Diges as used at the U.S. Mint in Whilast. I have to Buggest that if you require any moulded, that you will inform this office of the number needed, and directions will be given to DD Bomano to Ship you the Same, Very Respectfully, Acting Director. Mon James Rollock, J Supt. U.S. Mint, 3 Philas-Pa.

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adul R&Preshn 18 Dec 1896

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needed, D.M. be informed,
+ D. Bonzano, A. O. Mint,
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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Secumber 18", 1876. Oin: Vousletter of the 16" inst, enclosing bill of R.A. Millune, for Doines purchased for the Dabinet of the Minh has been received, approved and referred to the accounting officers for Stattlement, Respectfully, acting Director. Mon James Rollock! Infet. M.B. Mint 3 Philas ... Pa... 3

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Reed 19 DEC 76

Made Sanding Minn To the officers of the US him! - Thiladelphia, Pa Will for please in form me by letter, how much money you want for a quater Eagle (2,30) gold price, a mice new one, Please de forme a line at your Carliest Consenience, and oblige a friend your Friely Ele Reads Landing Wabasha Col Munesta I do not know that my letter is hroperly due died but I presum it will reach Some one at the Ment in your City Read's Landring
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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. CONWEY, 18, 1876. The appointment of A. Holes as a Roller entho Coiners de partment of your Minhal a compensation of 290 for and vice Thro, Christy removed, submitted in your communication of the 16 thinst is hereby approved to take effect December 19,1896. leryrespectfully, Now James Pollock, Roling Director.

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Reed 19 DEC 76

Treasury of the United States, Washington, 200, 19, 1876. Sir: I credit your account this day with Therety threesand

# dollars, (\$30.000 Filethoin,

as a transfer of funds for NO # 4022 of like amount

received by Express. Very respectfully, In Isteens Treasurer U. S. Hon. James Pollock Tip't U.S. Mint. Philada, Pa.

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Anited States Mint, Carson, Aevada, SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

CC. 19, 1876. How. James Follock, Supt. Whint of the U.S., Thiladelphia, Dawin receipt of jour letter under date of 12 vist, accompanied by hill of Mr. James B. Cowdew, in payment of which Diudose herein \$9.50 in Juneucej. The spipet order was duplicated by wistake Kaukuig you for your kindness, Daw Very Respectfully, Dames Crawford, Supe. Rew the alm from Jar. Polisch. Sufr. U.S. On Mine 50.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dec. 19, , 1876.

have received your letter of the 18 th inst. transmitting a descriptive list of the Medals exhibited in the Government defeartment of the late Continual Emposition.

Mery respectfully R& Reston Acting Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supt. Mint Uf. Philad? ADM REPreshm 19 Dec 1876

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Mew York Dec 19th 1876.
Mr. Jas Pollock Supt
Dear Sir
Thave concluded to purchase one of your medals viz. # 1, called Washington before Boston" and will send you the money in a day or two. Will you please furnish me this information How many are there, and where are the different Mints of the United States? Also what pieces do they com and are they procurable, that is, as I have been buying them from you! Can I, if I conclude soon Can t, ift conclude soon after the first of the year to take it, pro-cure a Proof Set of the Gold prices of 1876? How soon after Jany 1st are the new broof pieces struck off. Your auswer to the above will greatly oblige 58 Barclay St. Respectfully you. B. Jirdale

W. B. Tirdale 19 DEC 1876 Inquiring about prop coins and medals. Red Des 20/76

ADAWS DENESS GREAT EASTERN, WESTERN AND SOUTHERN Upon the special acceptance and agreement that this Company is to forward the same to it agent nearest or most convenient to destination only, and there to deliver the same to other parties to complete the transportation—such delivery to terminate all liability of this Company for such package; and also, that this Company are not to be liable in any manner, or to any extension of such package, or of its contents, or of any portion thereof, occasioned by the acts of God, or by any person of persons acting or claiming to act in any military or other capacity in hostility to the government of the United States, or occasioned by civil or military authority, or by the acts of any armed or other mob or riotous assemblage, piracy or the dangers incident to a time of war, nor when occasioned by the dangers of railroad transportation, or ocean or river navigation, or by fire or steam, unless specially insured by this Company and so specified in this receipt. In no event is this Company to be liable for a greater sum than that shove mentioned, nor shall it be liable for any such loss unless the claim therefor shall be made in writing, at this office, within thirty days from this date, in a statement to which this receipt shall be annexed, and the shipper and owner hereby severally agree that all the attinulations and conditions in this receipt contained shall extend to, and enurs to the benefit of, each and every company or person, to whom the Anarys Expuss Company may entrust or deliver the above-described property for transportation, and shall do me and limit the liability therefor of Freight.

Treasury of the United States, Washington, Dec 20, 1876. Sir: I inclose herein Transfer Check No. 7856 on Assistant Treasurer U. S. at Thilada for \$10" for which, amount of inclosures contained in yours of the please send instant. I cent coin of 1876 to 2. P. Burnhams of the Consigner-Very respectfully, Allymay Aon. Jaz. Pollock, Supt. U. J. Mink, Philadá,

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## Mint of the United States,

AT PHILADELPHIA.

MELTING AND REFINING DEPARTMENT.

20th December 1876

Flow. James Pollock

Superintendent.

Dear Sir

My requisition for Black Lead
Pots of 13th Nov. was dated early in time, in order to
secure better quality of ware by slower manufacture.
It was witheld for a time to allow of our making
a torial of Diron's Pots, and we have used some 16
of these last, sufficient tomake a comparison
with Those of Robert Taylor & los.

I can now report that the quality of Dixon's Pots is not equal to that of Taylor's, in greater softness I more rapid wear of the former. Dixon offered as similar pots (a 25 & per number. When to this price is added freight, & carriage to mint, and package, the price would be nearly 3 & per number. If I may make an estimate of the difference between those of Dixon & of Taylor

in quality of goods, I we say, that the hots of Robert Taylor Ho. are fairly worth 32 of her number, altho'I believe his price is less than that. nevertheless in order to show our good will to all suggest that we order a few casks from the Joseph Dixon brucible bo, and also a few more from the Firm of Strow, wile, the of this City, and give the balance of the order for our steady supply to Robert Taylor Ho. It is always desirable to order a large quantity at one time, in order to give the manifacturers time to execute the order slowly, whereby a better quality of ware is secured; it is decidedly wiser, in the question of wave for gold & silver, that it she be as reliable in excellence as can be secured. By ordering the great mass of Taylor 460. we do secure such excellence, of at as low a rate as can be obtained elsewhere. my personal preference and advice, for quality of wave three economy, would be to order all of Taylor, but I propose the above proportion as a sort of compromise. Respectfully yours Jat Booth

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Reporting trial of Black Lead Pots from J. Nixon + Co, Recom, that a few casksbe Ordered from Inixon + Co and From Wile + Co and the freater number from Report Co, Mint of the Anited States.

Philadelphia,

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No. of Papers,

Subject,

Reed 20 Dec 1876

Hawks Heat more Dee Dath 18 y 6 Superintendant U.S. Mint Phildelphia Samples of What we supposed to be Black in the box look something like the Keeling or I the other piece We 2 usumbles Connel Cool I wish you to analyge Them I give me The percent to of Aron or what down it is Respectfully P.S. Jimmerman Lay H addres Hawks Mast Fayette Co Have a true food-nein of the Kidney ora of corned like to Know if it is toorth any thing 23.5 Simply varieties of slate; no iron nor coal.

P. S. Bimmerman Hawks Nesh Dec 20. 1876. Samples of ond M.S. Munh - Jest English Reeved Ded 26,1878.

(Accounts-Form L.)	Treasury of the Anite	d States,
Jeh, C.	DIVISION OF ACCOUN	NTS.
A CONTRACTOR	Decen	nber 20 t., 1876.
The following transfer orde to you from Suft. U	ers have this day been issued for a	transportation of funds
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er.	(Accounts—Form N—Advance.)
Cashi	Treasury of the Buited States,
	Washington, Elle 21", 1876.
	Sir:
	Herewith I have the honor to transmit Draft No. 677
	on Messen Warrant No. 2421, for \$ 701. Coli
3	payable to the order of prinself
	and accountable for under the following appropriations, viz:
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(Accounts-Form L.) Treasury of the United States, l. L. D. DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS, December 22., 1876. The following transfer orders have this day been issued for transportation of funds to you from U. I. Assay office at New York, et. y

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AMOUNT. 4050 hr 99.129.15 og fine silver. \$ 11551760 Supt. U. S. Mint Mymay Note-The above value showed have been Dec. 28. 1876 - Out Dec

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(Cashier-Form G.) Treasury of the United States, Washington, Nel 22. 1876 I wenty thousand dollars, (\$20.000. 4)
as a transfer of funds for Silver Coin of like amount received ley Express. Silver J.O. # Ko 23 3# Very respectfully, Don Holeens V. S. Sup! U. S. Mint Philad?

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Oreasury Aepartment, Washington, D. C., Llow Ver DZ/1876. Sir. The following changes in the Coiners department of your Mint. Rubmitted in your communication of the &1- inshare hereby approved to take effect from the shiproximo . Org: Jas. C. Phorp, promoted from luttento Grenian of the lutter @3.5 pr. dn. nie George Hansell, diceased. Ellis Gugh, Annealen transferret to Coining Room @ 3.00 per diem. Dickery, Kulter, mansferred to Coining

room @ 3.00 par dieno. D. P. Pacquet, author, transferred to touning room @ 3.00 pr. dien. ames M. Slewart promoted from daborer lo leaner @ 3.00/m. dien. Veryrespectfully, Hon James Gollock. Rupt. al. Mint. =

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., Comber, Se, 187 Thavereeived the Official of Grand H. Colles, Roller no the Coiners Department of your

Dec 22/76 Red datte of Trank St. Joen, Roller. Red Dec 23/76

No. 1756 MEMORANDUM of GOLD BULLION deposited at the MINT of the UNITED STATES at Philadelphia, the 28 day of Dec 1876, by Level. agt adams & lo Note. This Memorandum is for the information of the Depositor, and is of no other Value. SILVER PARTED FROM THE GOLD WEIGHT DESCRIPTION OF BULLION FINENESS VALUE OF THE GOLD NET VALUE For Parting, Coinage and Cts. " 11 I Certify that the net amount of the above Deposit is Ofour

Payable at the Mint, only on presentation of the receipt of a corresponding date and number heretofore issued.

8482,23 Gold Coin Gold Bars Silver Coin Silver Bars

JAMES POLLOCK.

Superintendent of the Hint.

#### Austom Bouse, Milwankee, Wis.,

Collector's Office, Dec 22, 1876.

In accordance with instruction, I have this day ferwarded to your reddress one fuckage containing Four hundred eighty eight collars (\$ 488) gold coin of less than current everyth, received at this office for cluties on imports; and have to request you to deposit its equivalent in coin of standard weight with the Ossistant Treasurer of the United States at Philadelphia, to my credit as Callecter of Custims, forwarding certificate of deposit in duplicate to this office as usual -Very respectfully John Vagro Collector of Custimes

Juperintendent Ud. Mint. Philadelphia Da.

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Custom House, Collector's Office, MILWAUKEE, WIS.,	
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# Treasury Department, office of the director of the mint, lecember 23", 1876.

Your letter of the 22 nd inst., enclosing gentificate of departit for \$165.11 Coin on accourt of parting and refining bullion changes had been received. Also your letter enclosing gentificate of deposit for \$ 17,50 on account of Pale of old material. Respectfully, Director. Olon, James Pollook, 3 Aupt. U.O. Mint. 3 Philas - Pa... 3

D. M. 1532 Dec. 23/76

Red. lop for \$165.11, Com,
Party & Refs Change,
also 6/8 \$17.50
Sale of och material.

Red Dec 26/76

#### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dec. 23, 1876.

I send you by express to-day, a package containing about \$15 in Spanish and Mexican Coins. I will thank you to Submit these pieces to your alllayer with the request that he will Select four or five of the best specemens of the Spanish dollar, exhibiting the change in Standard, and transmit them to this Office, together with an estimate of what would be a fair valuation of the Lame. You are hereby instructed to purchase the balance of the coins equivalent of the London rate 561/2 pence at \$ 1.11/2 per Standard ounce, and transmit the amount in gold coin

to this Office at your earliest conve-Mery respectfully A Rodinauman Director. Hon. Jas. Pollock Dupt Moint Uf, Philadelphia.

D.M. 1523 Des 23/46

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, December 26," 1876. On and after the first praximo, Dilver Gontained in gold deposits will be paid for at the rate of one chundred and ten cents per onnce Standard in gold Coin! Hespectfully, Director. Olon, James Hollock, B Suft. US Mint B Philaselphia, Pa... 3

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MEMORANDUM of GOLD BULLION deposited at the MINT of the UNITED STATES

at Philadelphia, the 29th day of December 1876, by S. Co. Thompson

Note.—This Memorandum is for the information of the Depositor, and is of no other Value.

DESCRIPTION OF BULLION

WEIGHT

BEFORE MELTING

AFTER MELTING

FINENESS

VALUE OF THE GOLD

FINENESS

VALUE OF THE GOLD

FOR Parting, Coinage and Pine Bars

NET VALUE

For Parting, Coinage and Pine Bars

DESCRIPTION OF BULLION	WEIGHT		FINENESS	VALUE OF THE GOLD		SILVER PARTED FROM THE GOLD			DEDUCTIONS For Parting Coinage and		NET VALUE	
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Payable at the Mint, only on presentation of the receipt of a corresponding date and number heretofore issued.

JAMES POLLOCK,

Superintendent of the Mint.

Dollars.

By Old Jone

Gold Coin \$239.26

Gold Bars \$

Silver Coin \$

Silver Bars \$

## Qustom Youse, Kochester, A. P.,

Collector's Office, 1876. I have such by Clow Coppers. Vo. Our fag Containing, Two hundred & fortyine Sulfure ( 24 14) light gold coin for Mecinage. The met value of a bick amount Duish depreched in my name, with The But the Grasurer Philadelphia to the tradit of the Uld. Treasurer. in account of datus in un perls Turn 1817 181 fully M. Cartlet Collector 1. for CSV. Il Just Pollock Esy Japk. H. Million Milachelphia

Custom House, Collector's Office. ROCHESTER, N. Y.,

Dec. 29. 1876.

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#### Mint of the United States,

Thiladelphia, Dee, 27 5,

Hon James Pollock Eugenintendent.

I have the honor to report that the new Enguie , constructed by the Profile's Works , under a Contract with the foverment, has been placed in position, and after preliminary tests, was yesterday for the first time, attached to the Machinery in the Coining Room and Machine Shop, and is now performing its allotted work in the most satisfactory manner. The Engine is simple in construction, and admirably adapted to the work it has to perform. The Specifications in the contract have been filled to the letter and I feel satisfied that there is little if any profit left to those who con-structed it. The Engine performs its work with the use of but little, if any more steam than was formerly necessary to drive the old Enguire. It has vicreased the tumber of revolutions in the Fining machinery equal to about five per minute - This upon the Presses employed al

present is equal to an increased production of Lay 26.400 pieces in eight hours work, allowing the old engine to be kept up to its full capacity of sixty three hounds of steam - As this could not at all times he done, it is safe to Day the increased production is fully equal to one additional Coming Press. In addition to the micreased production it is proper to refer to the fact that the increased power enables us to sun at uniform speed. even where the steam falls from ten to fifteen pounds below the maximum necessary to run the old Engine at fuce speed. I am exceedingly gratified that this ingive has been erected, and is performing its work ni so satisfactory a manne before my returnant from the parition of now hold. It will give my successor great advantages, and releive him firm the anxiety of at all times experienced, in the dread that the old Engine would suddenly fail to perform its work and thus be an absolute bur to the usine of Coinage. The new Engine gives cortainty of, with in creased from which is essential to a proper conductment of the operations of this Department.

I have the hours to be forwarder from your of feel. I forder from Comin.

A. Swowder, E Comme Wee. 27/76 Report to the trans Engine a Succepy and in Everylong Latis factory.

Red Dec 27/76

# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., Olec. 27, 1876.

J have received your letter of the 26th inst., transmitting four Spanish Silver dollars.

Mery nespectfully

Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supi. Ment, Uf. Philad? D.M. 1531 Des. 27/26

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Treasury of the United States, Washington, Dec. 21. 1876. Minty Hunsand dollars, (\$ 30.000.)

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Jas. Gilfollan, & assi near les! Warhington Nec 27/76 Credity Supli you Anth \$ 30,000. Silve Com, a, a transfer of funds, on J. G. no. 4049, Rus Blee 29/76

All Official Letters to the Treasurer's Office must be addressed to the "Treasurer of the U.S.," and in replying to Letters from the Treasurer's Office, the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to. Treasury of the United States, Washington, VLO, 28., 1876. he 2069 5.000, on asst hear. U.S. Philad 99 I will thank you to forward a like amount in Gold dollars. Very respectfully Mkymay, Treasurer U.S. Hon James Pollock Oupt. U. d. Muut Philadelphia, 9.9

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Mint of the United States,

CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Dec. 28 1876.

Han James Pollock .

Tiv; I have the hour to report the resignation of John Gallagher fr., as a Roller in this Department, to take effect on the 1st. proc. Very Respectfully Jan Obl. Servant A. Landan Fluoden

A. L. Snowder Eg Coine Dec. 28/76 Amounting the Resignation by John Gallaghar, Ballagher Jany 1/77.

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Very respectfully

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Honfamus Pollvik fift hmt 119 Philadelphia Dec 28/76

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TELEGRAM.

Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., Dec 28, , 1876.

Dem Sir

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### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

December 28, 1876.

I have not time at present to accertain precisely what the pregulations require as to the destruction at the close of the year of hubs and experimental dies. It will be sufficient to state that I do not desire any of the hubs or dies which have been made during the present year or held over from last year, to be destroyed until further instructed.

Mery nespectfully Hadinderman Director.

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supt. Mint, Uf, Philad? D.M. 1538 Dec. 28/76

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Mint of the United States, Philadelphia, Dec. 29 1876. Hom James Pollock Superintendent D. Giv. I this day nonmate at the earnest request of elle, Charles E. Warburton, Editor of the Evening Telegraph, Fredk M. Barnewece. Sonce months age eller Warburton spoke about the posseble resignation of his brother hi'law, Mr. Gallagher, and I stated to him that I had no doubt that you would allow

him to name a suitable. person to file his place. Mr. Warburton is one of the most excellent men in om City, and I feel that this recognition is due him. In conversation with my Assistant, Major Bosbyshell, a few days suice, le concurred with me fully as to the propriety of this action. Hoping that you will approve this recommendation, Thave the how to be Jun Oht Serrant Soudonomerlen: " Comer

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Mint of the United States, CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia,

Philadelphia,

Philadelphia, Hon. Janus Pollock Superintendent. Fir; In accordance with the provisions of the Canage act of 1843; I have the how to recommend the appointment of Frederick W. Barnewall as a Roller in this Department at \$ 290 the place of John Jallagher per dien , in f. Resigned - to take effect upon con-Vou Respectfiely
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Dr. C. M. Wilking bles. 29/776 Resigning his position af Curata in the Cabinet, to take Effet Janu--any 31. 1877. Dee 29th 1877, accepted, Red Dec 29/76

Oreasury Department, Washington, D. C., COMMENT, 6 The following changes, submitted in your communication of the 28th inst, are hereby approved to take effect on the 1st provino, viz: F.C. Larriques, Forman of Gold Delver Weller, compensation increased from 4.75 to 5.00 fr. diene. Theodore Hackett, Laborer, transferred Grow General to General Dept. Verynespectfully, Undas. Pollock. Handenman Supt. Child Muit & Director.

Dec. 29/16 Appy increase 7 To be Garigues, For - man G. & Stelle pro \$ 4,75 6 \$5. Du dien from Jay 1/77 handfer of Theo, Hackett Plaban from Conver to Sufety acker Rus Dec 30/76

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Greasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Dec 29 , 1876. Dear Fir, There is littly to the Some delay in becoming Me Bosby thells commission, owing to a Rule of the Senate which lequie, an Executive Lessen of the Senate to suleron after Confirmation, hefur notion Can be sout to the Resident the tred to have the matter attended to day but Without success I fear. The Senot was

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Treasury Aepartment, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

December 29", 1870. · Your letter of the 28" instant enclosing letter of Messes Withen You Her with their check on Mecond National Bank of M. Y. for \$290 the equivalent to be Gent them in minor Coines has theen received and referred to the Secretary of the dreadung. Respectfully, A. R. Linderman Director. Mon. James Pollock! By Mint, Bliladelphia Jemas. 3

Dele. 1551 Dec 29/76 Ack'y rest drawf of See's heading, of check primal NEW YORK for \$290. fa minos coins. Ru Dec 30/46

Mint of the Builed States, CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Thiladelphia, Dec. 304 1876 Hen Jacues Pollock
Superintendent chi; I have the hour to submit the following as the result of the Venezuela Tomage up to this date. We have comed and delivered to Men. John Dallett & Six million six hundred and eighty thousand (6.680,000) pieces of both demuniation, devided as follows: 6.200,000 Un Centavos 480.000 Dos y Media Centava It will be seen from this That were Than one-half of the Contract is completed and with the appliances now in perfect conditim it will not take very long to come the balance. The Comage is creditable m' every respect, and I have no doubt will give entire satisfaction to the foverment and people for a frain it is intended.

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Treasury of the United States, Washington, Ul 30, 1876 Sir. Twenty thousand dollars, (\$ 20.000, \$)
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Treasury of the United States, Washington, Del 30. 187 6 Firedit your account this day with

we dollars, (\$5.000.\*)

as a transfer of funds for Gold Coin of like amount received ley Copies 9.0 \$ KOGN Very respectfully, Das Herasurer U. S. Jar Pollock Egg Supt. U.S. Mink Philad! 99

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## Mint of the United States,

MELTING AND REFINING DEPARTMENT.

30th Decemb, 1876

Son James Follooks
Superintendont
Dearfir

Therewith hand you the reported tables of Gold + Silver nelling for the month of November, from which you perceive that the results indicate good work, moderate wastage and loss of melts.

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Kerpeanully yours Jab Booth

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Jas. b. Bootte Dec. 30. 1876. Explaining Gold and Dilves Movember, 1876, Red Dec 30/76

Michmend Coe 31.th Hift of the Capress Company Mar Sir Mill send you some Old Silver Ware, to have Comoil, and Willyon be so kend and inform me, if Il have the Silver Cornect in Frade dollars, or in Bors, Which Will Il realize he the most, by so doing you will groatly Oblige

Soms Respectfully

Abraham Harris

1322 Main St 1322 Main St - Richmond

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Reed 1 Jan 1876.

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Treasury Department, (Deer 28, 1876. Stransmit hewith properly approved the Contract outered into by you with mefors John Dallettte for the Comage at your mind of 10.000,000 one (1) Centaro, and 2.000.000 prices of 2/2 Centavas for the government of Conspilla. Very respectfully Duelos Honfas Pollock frift Mintelege Philadelphia

D.M. 1536 Nec 28/76

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## Treasury Tepartment,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

December 23", 1876. Dani in receipt of yound of the 29" inst., on = = gloding Contract in duplicate between Messus John Dallett and Company and yourdelf for the comage of Certain Venegnelan pieces. Med the coinage under which this contract had take executed, required the change for the dame to be fined by the Director of the Mint with the approval of the Gernetary of the Greadury, it will be necessary for you to prepare and send to me, a detailed sistimate of the expenses necessary to de incurred in prepaining this Comage including labor materiales and use of Machinery. Respectfully, Mon. James Vollock! A. R. Linderman

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Secenher 2011, 1870.

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Very Respectfully, R& Preston Acting Director.

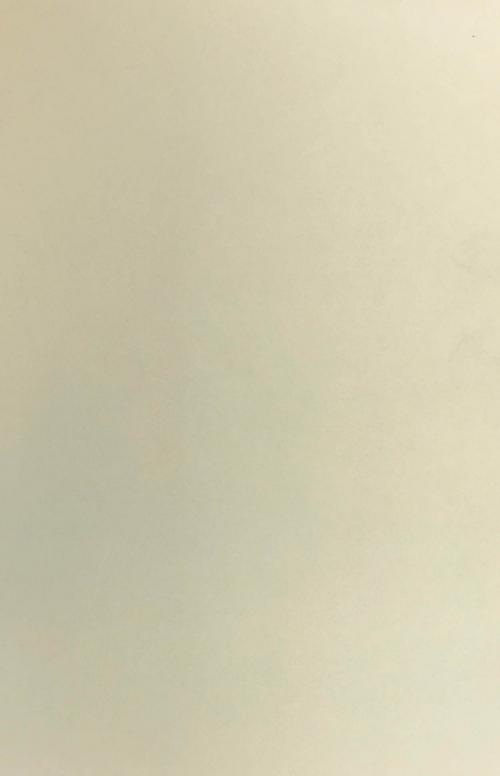
Am James Pollock, Esq. Dupt. W.S. Mint Philadelphia De. asmon Restan 2029ea 1876

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Reed 21 Dec 76

U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1876/DECEMBER





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J. O. issued \$4018, in 149,772,8902, fine Schulben Value 174,672,60 from Metssay Affice

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## Treasury of the United States,

Washington, Dec 15

, 1876.

Sir.

Herewith I have the honor to transmit Draft No. 658

on Theasury Warrant No. 2386 , for \$ 40.000

payable to the order of yourself as Supt US him

and accountable for under the following appropriations, viz:

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Very respectfully,

Treasurer U. S.

(This letter of advice is to be forwarded to the Disbursing Officer or Agent.)

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Reis 16 Dec 76.

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Reed 39 Dea 16

CHHEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT. Philadelphia, Lee. 15 1876. Hom. James Pollock Inperintendent. I have the hour to recommend the removal of Thomas Christy a Roller in the Department, for intattention to his duties and other satisfactory causes -Von Rufeetfuely Jun Ofr Seit Boudon Frienden Lanin

Mint of the United States,

A Lesnowden Koiner 15 DEC 1876

Recom, discharge of Thos Christy Roller, for inattention Etc.

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MEMORANDUM. From To JOHN DALLETT & Co., A Knoden Smooden by UN Mint 128 Walnut Street. PHIL'A Sur /14 Mr Sout for Today 12 Cases Blanks 6 Cases Small 49 Min 240,000 6 Cases Lunge 20 m in 122 129.000 120 trul Imy 124 125 126) Tohn Sallity 127

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, ( Decr 14, 1876. Fir:
Proide thank you to inform
this Office of the approximate
amount of fine Silver to be
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Hongamus Pollock
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Philadelphia

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Oreasury Department, ( Dec 14th, 1876. Your beller of the 13th instant enclosing the resignation of A.S. frowden Esgras Comer of the mint of the Ist. at Philadelphia has bem reevon The resignation of the fivorden has been handed to the feartary of the breasing as requested. Very respectfully Ratheston Acting Director

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Hon. James Rollock! By Suph M.D. Muit. By Miladelphia In. 3 1485

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Olæku order toft \$450. Miner Coin, Bowery S. 13K.

Reed 15 DEC 76.

Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Occ. 14, 1876. Acknowledging the necessary of your letter of gesterday requesting leave to purchase four old gold coins of angland, for the Cabinis of your Mint, I have to Lay that you are authorized to purchase the same at the price specefeed in your letter-\$30 currency. and transmit the bills to this Office for Settlement. Yours respectfully Acting Director Hon Jas. Pollock, Supt. Mint Uf. Philad?

CONCERNA R& Preshn 14Dea 1876

Authorizing Ruschase of Englishe one & \$50 c, for Cabinet.

Reed 13 Dec 76

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Philadelphia, Lee, 144 1876, Han. Janus Pollock, Luperin tendent-Lu; en accordance with the provisions of the Tomage Act of 1843" el have the hour to recommend the discharge of Thomas Christy and the appointment m' his place of Frank Ho. Cooles as a Roller at \$290 per dien. This appointment to take effect upon confirmation. Thave the how to remain Very Respectfully Souden hurrder Jonier.

Mint of the United States,

A Lonowden Coiner 14 Dre 1876

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Treasury of the United States, Washington, Dec. 14, 1876 Thrusand — #dollars, (\$ 20.000 # Files Con.
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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dec. 13, 1876.

Acknowledging the receipt of your letter of yesterday, requesting leave to purchase for the Cabinet of the Mint at Philadelphia, three gold coins of Costa Rica, I have to day that you are authorized to purchase the same for \$14 gold and transmit the bills (gold valuation) to this Office.

Mery nes pect fully Re Preston Acting Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supt. Mint Uf. Philadelphia

ADM Reston 13 DEC 1876

Authorizing Purchase of coincid Costa Rica a & 14-gold, for Cabinet.

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BANKING HOUSE New York, Deal 3 1876

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Office of Aggigtant Treagurer A. S.,

Boston, Mass., December 13, 1876.

On 29 Gultimo, Hornarded to you by Oldans Express. Thirty six hundred and fifty seven dollan Silver soin, in accordance with instructions of Department Examiners then here, Please inform me if the same was duly received,

Respectfully

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Gothe Superintendent Oesst Grear U.S.

Il, S. Mint. Philadelphia, Pal,

Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S., Boston, Mass.,

13 Dec., 1876.

Assistant Theasurer U. S.

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No. of Enclosures,

Red Dec 14/76

Mint of the United States, CHIEF COINER'S DEPARTMENT.

Philadelphia, Dec, 13 4, 1876. Han James Pollock, Superintendent. Sir; I have the honor resignation of herewith to enclose my resignation as Conier of the Mint of the Muited States. at Philadelphia, which you will be good enough to transmit through the Department to the President. d'cannot sever my conrection with this Institution, where I have passed nearly twenty years of my life, with out expressing to you and through you to all the officers and employees, my sincere. gratitude I up perience for the many acts of kindness shown me as well as for the faithfulness with which nearly all under me have performed the duties assigned them. Thave the hour to be your Obt Servite Loudon Formaline

A. L. Snowders Coincip blec 13 /7/6

Conclosing his, resignations as Corner and Cregues to that Debe forwarded the Payadent though the blefit,

Rud De 13/26

MEMORANDUM. From To Sawdin Sunden En MM. Mint JOHN DALLETT & Co., 128 Walnut Street. PHIL'A Sur 15 His the Sund gen Lang 10 Cases Blanks J 5 Cases Small 40mm in 200,000, Soo 106 5 Cases Lang 20men 111 100.000. 110 King Juny John Sellett 114

Dallett. hv + 6. Dec. 13 th 18/6. Shiput. 5 Laye & 5 Small Cases Blanks.

## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dec 122, 1876.

for the quarter enough September 30 ~ 1876. have been received.

Dery respectfully R. & Preston

Acting Ductor

Hon fas Rollock

12 Dea 1876,

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(Cashier-Form G.) Treasury of the United States, Washington, Dec, 12. 1876 I credit your account this day with Thirty thousand as a transfer of funds for I.O. #3992 of like amount received by Express. 2 Very respectfully, Das Johnsen U. Am Jas. Pollock,
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Treasury Department Washington, D.C. December 11: 1876.

H. R. Gunderman, Esq. Director John Mint.

To enable the Department to relieve the several Independent Treasury Officers, below mentimed, of their surplus accumulations of miner coins, without the expense of their dransportation to the Mint at Philadelphia, I will thank you to direct the proper officers of that mint to refer to this office for the necessary action, all orders for such coins received thereat from the cities in which these officers are breaked viz:

Office of U. S. assistant Treasurer at Boston, Mass.

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you will refer all orders for minor coins received by you from the cities named to him.

It will also be necessary what you forward all remittances received by you for minor coins to the Secretary at the time of referring the orders.

Any drafts received you will endorse to him.

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Very respectfully
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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

December 12 th 1876.

Hen. Jas. Pollock Supt. U. S. Mint Philadelphia.

Sir;

I transmit herewith copy of a letter addressed this office by the Secretary of the Treasury, relative to relieving the Independent Incalury Offices therein mentioned of their surplus accumulation of minor coins without the expense of their transportation to your mint. In order to comply with the instructions of the Georetary of the Treasury, I have to request that

MEMORANDUM. From Med Mint JOHN DALLETT & Co.. 128 Walnut Street. PHIL'A Sew // 1876 At Sin the Sund for Lang 10 Cases Blanks Lvo 96 | 5 Caser 40 m en Small \$ 200,090. los 5 Cases 20 min Lange 140.94. 161 142 143 104 105

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Kl Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. Velember 11, 1876. James Pollock, Sig.,

Superintendent U.J. Mink.

Philadelphia, Pa. Un the 24 th. ultimo, in reply to your letter of the 24th., the Department addressed you a communication, enquiring whether your Requisition for Stationery, forwarded on the 20th, included Suf-- perient quantities to cover the period of time Ending June 20. 1877,

and, in case it do not, requesting that you forward, in lien thereof, Rovering Said period. As no action can be taken upon your requestion until Sais information is furnished, You are requested to advise the Whehartment in the premises at your Carliest convenience. Very Respectfully Assistant Secretary. OF Conaut aut. Sec. Freas. 11 DEC 1876.

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Very respectfully R. B. Preston

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Treasury Department, First Comptroller's Office. December 9th. 1876. How. James Pollock, Sufst. U. S. Mint, Philadelphia, Pa. your account for ordinary expenses of the Mint at Philadelphia, commencing July 1st. 1876 and ending September 30th. 1876, has been adjusted at the Treasury, per Report No. 203390, and a balance found due the United States of \$ 15,243 tos, agreeing with your Statement. your attention is respectfully called to the item of "I. I. Diffenderfer" on the pay-rolls of the boiner; the corresponding Signature in the receipt reads I. H. Deifenderfer. Very Respectfully, Montholler.

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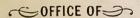
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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dec., 1876.

I have to request that you will furnish this Office with a list of the medals &c, exhibited at the late International @ nhibition, logether with a brief descriptive sketch of each. It is designed that this shall be embraced in a forthcoming published prepart of the Government exhibits and is at the instance of treasury Officials having the matter in charge. Mery nespectfully Ucting Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock Slupt. Mint Uf. Philad?

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JOHN WAGNER, Treasurer.

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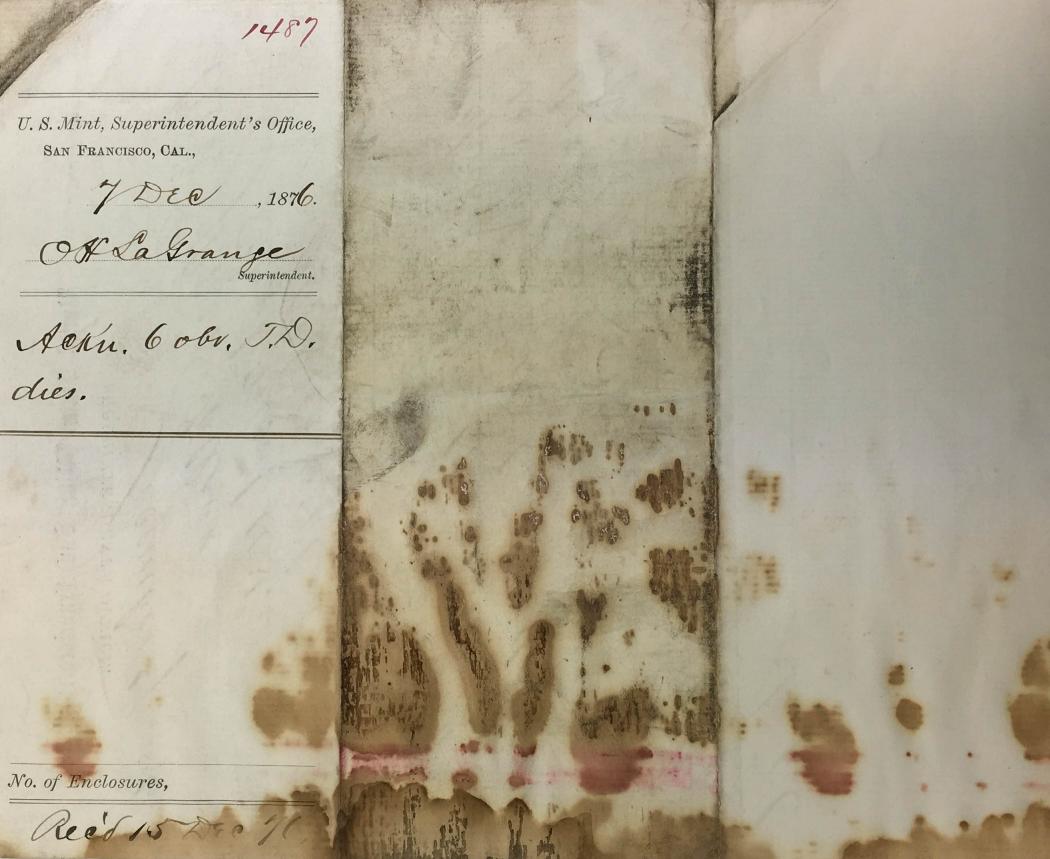
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Respectfully yours John Magner Treasurer of Coshocton Co. Ohio John Hagner Treas. Coshoeton Bo. Ohio Cashoeton, O. — DEE. 1876.

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Anited States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Tecewher 1, 1876 Hou James Collock, Pupt mint U.S., Philadelphia. I have received by Express the box containing six obverse trade dallar dies as per your advice of the 27th alt. Very respectfull M. Lillely



Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, (Dear 7th, 1876. Morn latter of the 6" instant endoring Certificate of Duport for \$96.79 com on account of parting and refining bullion has been recevor. Very respectfully aching Duntor Hon James Pollock frift mint uf Philadelphia

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## THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TELEGRAPH COMPA

THOMAS T. ECKERT,

President.

The rules of this Company require that all messages received for transmission shall be written on the message blanks of this Company, under and subject to the conditions printed thereon, which conditions have been agreed to by the sender of the following message.

D. HOMER BATES, Gen. Sup't, Atlantic Division, New York.

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GEO. E. MUMFORD,

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Ass't Supt. Rochester, N. y. Dec 6 1876 Directon of Mint Philaslephia who prim Dear On med of the Company hape and infust to home down down dilm bricks to Countries convening and am not posted at the Lest a must lapedition method of dring the dame my I houth for I inform in regard to of in Custom i mode of procedure Do you rein liles fam and after ascertaining the quality of James lain the rule in curring in Amed! The mist till it can the coincil & then take it in coin In engerice on not intended much for the prient hat the future despasition of om letter till no get it) - Your rope, will much aklige Jun Of HF attimson Tund 49 Powers Block Richato M.

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., Seconber, J, 1876. Hon James Pollock, Juph Minh, Rhiladelphia. Oath of L.D. Gines, Laborer in the General Department of your

Verynesbeetfully, Letting Director. A& Preshow 3 Dea 1896

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Custom Youse, Wilmington, A. C., Collector's Office, Cect. 5th . 187. James Pollock Sa saft M. S. Mint Philadelphia There this day receive your letter of the 2. mit molining Coff III, in duplicate, for the Exact of the recornage of \$45#, hight gold Com forwarded to the mint from the office for that purpose. Just C. Alkot God pulk. W. Chalevick

Custom House, Collector's Office, Wilmington, N. C.,

Dec. 5. , 1876 Joseph E. Albert Collector.

Acknowledging receipt of Cofd Light gold neoned.

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## Treasury Aepartment,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., Occ. 4, 1876.

Acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 2d inst. in reference to culting a Silver disc for Mejere. Veligman & Co., & have to inform you that I have informed the Mejers. Deligman that owing to a lack of facilthis for handling, it will not be possible to out the disc at the Ment.

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to you, I was not aware of the size or weight of the disc. Mery nespectfully R. E. heston Acting Derector Hon. Jas. Pollock Weight. Mint Uf. Philad?

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Baldwins Loe Works Shop. Shory. Pollook. I hear Sir: The work of cutting up the block of Dilver is now progressing sates factorily & will be finished about 3 PM Please have the Kindness to say by bearer how late you can receive saine at the much trday as it would not be safe to leave it here over might yours respectfully I Cinal Gomes Fronds VG A begas So Su be Count receive your Riber of or after 3. Om, The most closer or that him. We will recent to to morew at any time after 9. am.

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#### THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

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WILLIAM ORTON, Pres't, New York. A. R. BREWER, Sec'y, Received at

S. E. Cor, Broad & Chestnut Sts.

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### Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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LAW. Seligmant Co. 30 Nov 1876 Requesting that liter Dist be cut up by mothmen after hours at their Expense. Diled in 1435, Rec'd / Dre 76

MEMORANDUM. From JOHN DALLETT & Co., London Snudm Sol Willist 128 Walnut Street. PHIL'A See 5 1876 Sor. 55 } & Keer Small ysmen 225.000 So 56 \ 3 kyp Large 35mm 105.040.

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All Official Letters to the Treasurer's Office must be addressed to the "Treasurer of the U.S.," and in replying to Letters from the Treasurer's Office, the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to.

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#### Treasury of the United States,

Washington, Dec. 5, 1876.

Sir:

To ur letter of the 4th instant is received, en closing Transfer Order Ro 3962 properly endorsed.

The amount transferred by this Order, \$400,000.

in Silver coin, was deposited in the Treasury in one sum,
for the reason that it was desirable to have it appear in
the November receipts.

As regards the transfer in the Mint, it is hoped that the accounts can be adjusted without much inconvenience.

In future the deposit will be made as requested.

Very respectfully, Mkgmay Treasurer U.S.

Hon. Ja! Pollock, Supt. Mint U.S. Philadelphia, Ca. AUNyman Inas Uf 5 WEE 1976

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#### THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TELEGRAPH COMPANY. In Connection with the Direct United States Cable, and the Dominion Telegraph Company of Canada.

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Treasury Aepartment, Washington, D. C., Delember, 4,1876. Now. James Pollock, Whiladelphia. Thavereferredyour account of Refinery/lokenses for the month of Movember, 1846, to the accounting Officers of the Department for adjustment. Verynesbeetfully, Retheston Heling Director.

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Minneaholis Mein Deur 4 41876 U.S. Much Dear Sir mumber of the how York Observer I mud mith interest some clems of infermation promished beggen with regard to a Faithing Token ("Voce Populi" "Hibernia" 1760/\_ I hum In my collection a token of the Sune description, except that the date is 1700 instead of 1760 - I wellow it here mich for your inspection, and a companion with the copy which you have in the Much Cabintafter & amenation please return it to on ly ngistered letter and have the kindness to state the result

of gner Examination. If the Stuarts, thee, I may be surmered, that the head on the obverse is meant for Janus 11 who after his defeat at the battle of the Baynon in 1690 fled to Frauer, when he was resideny + kill who a form of Court at S! Terram in 1700 as a Komen Catholic of course he now the chereo of the profile of Ireland, who were about the only adherents to his cause, The token of 1740 may penilly have been a verissio or reproduction of the former one with much a change of date to that of the death of June 11 Lof the accession of a new Invariet. trusting that you nice parden Unis Frespeass when your times Law Weighertfully Yours W C Baker

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., Cenuly, 1876. Dow. James Gollock. Just adelphia. Ammeguisition for funds to meet the expenses of your Minh forthe currentment whas been approved forthe sum of 49,000. fromthe following appripriations, org: Galaries 1844 4,000. Mages of Workmen \_\_ , \_ 35,000. Futingent Deenses \_ , \_ 10,000

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

November 32, 1876.

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supt. U. S. Mint Philadelphia.

Sir.

I have to advise you of the purchase in the 1 th wish of mens. J. all. Seligman & Co., New York, of two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000.) ounces fine silver for delivery at your mint, and to be paid for in gold ovin at the rate of one hundred and perenteen and one half cents/117/2 / per onnce fine by draft on the arinhant Freasurer U.S. at New York. The charges for transportation from New York to Philasdelphia, will be paid by you from Silver Profit Fund.

Very respectfully

(Signed) H. P. Linderman

Director.

Atmi Copy Retustor acting Director

Treasury Department, Deer 6th, 1876. Referring to your letter of the 5thustant in which you state that Meps feligman Ico, had forwarded to you 73.400 of Silver Bars, and that you had no author ely to receive more than 30,000 of, at 117/24 frie I transmit huwith for your information copy of a letter adduped you by this Office on the third (3) willing notifying you of the purchase from Meps feligman 4 ovof 250.000 of at 117/20/to be delivered at your mint Very respectfully Hon formes Pollvek Supt mint ug Philadelphia

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All Official Letters to the Treasurer's Office must be addressed to the "Treasurer of the U.S.," and in replying to Letters from the Treasurer's Office, the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to.

TRASHRY OF the Muited States,

Washington, December 2, 1876.

Vic:

beg to enclose, herewith, duplicate Certificate of deposit No. 1542742, dated November 29, 1876, for \$400,000.00 Silver, issued on account of deposit of "Profits on Silver Coinage"; also, Transfu Order No. 3962,

"Profits on Silver Coinage"; also, Fransfu Order No. 3962 dated November 29, 1876, for \$400,000.00 in Silver Coin, to be placed to the credit of "Bullion Fund account, as a transfer of funds from this office.

Hease to date and sign the endorsement on the

Order and return it to this office.

Very respectfully, Das Indicas and Treasure U.S.

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(Accounts-Form L.) Treasury of the Anited States, P, L, Co DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS, The following transfer orders have this day, been issued for transportation of funds to your from U. S. Assay office New York, N. y 3964 hv 155.791.30 og fine ilver bars f 173.101.44) Supt. U. S. Mint Philadelphia, Pa A. Wymay

Treasurer U.S.

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Notice of 70, \*3964 SB from ny a.C.

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Shi Treasury of the United States, Washington, Alember 1. 7876. Thirty thousand & dollars, (\$30,000 f)
as a transfer of funds for J. O. #3952 of like amount Very respectfully, Jas Isteens U. S. Superintendent 21. S. Mint Philadelphia, Ca.

Lilfillan Cet, Hashinghow 1 Dre 1876 ackn \$ 30,000 silver Coin, T.O. \* 3952. Rec's 2 Dro 76

Treasury Department, Avv 30, 1876. The feeretary of the Treasury desires for his annual Report the amount of Intervieny Selver Comage up to this date of you have not alway forwarded the Statement of your monthly comage please telegraph on receift her of the amount of your Silve Comage for November 1876.
Very respectfully Ratheston Acting Duntor

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Office of Assistant Treasurer A. S., Boston, Mass., November 29, 1876. I forward to you this day as Transfer of Funds in accordance with instructions of the Department Examine now here, two befel Containing Silver coins, 3657.5 Noz: Su Dollars " Frade Dollars Half-Dollars of issue 484. prior to 1840. " Dimer 1868. " Half-Denner 1114. There sent prices 30; " " " (funched)

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Office of Assistant Treasurer U. S.,
Boston, Mass.,

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Assistant Treasurer U. S.

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Sheodork Hor 24th/ 876. Houble One Tollack Dear Sin Millettelphila He have the pleasure to acknowledge Beeight af your yesterrays favor and beg to return quelased receipt far the amount of your veveral checks sent us un payment an He of Delver purchases as requested and your wind of Hand Beneathell

Von Hoffman & Co acku chks sent 23 of for SB. Reed 25 nov 76

I Mecosonk How 29th/16. South Sthe El Junis Dear Shin Milladelphia He beg to acknowledge receipt af your chavar af 27th met. with checks for & 61,034 Told in full pagment of and Shipment of 253 Bank Chilaret and you \$ 130 000 Told being part payer af our Shepment af 16. Bans. Silvery 106 return herein Receipts in Duply and remain fleather the form

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
Washington, D. C., NEWWEY, 291876.

Hon James Pollock, Gupt Mint, Philadelphia.

The appointment of L. D. Gines as a daborer in the General Depart. ment of your Mint at a compensation communication of the 28th inst. is hereby approved to take effect from the 4th province. Componery.

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Mortonville. Nov. 29, 1846 Chester County Mr. Ginderman, W.O. minh Philada 3 Dear Fir: Bring a Coin Collector I would be pleased to know y you would Dell me a Expecimen piece of the enclosed design of W.S. Coin,
Of willing to do So, please
let me chear from your at Jour larleest Convenience, and of am, Yours My truly 6. 76. Doctt.

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WAVAKER BROS Walt Lake City, Nor 28th 1876 Suft U.S. Minh Dear Sir Sung so far from any monned Center, we feel very severely the scarcety of Small change, especially the nickel and wishing to avail ourselves of the provilege granted by the Law of Congress. empowering you to send them free of transportation Charges to those ordering them, we would ask how we shall remit you when ordering them Shall we send our Exchençon Newfork or are we required to send U.S. Currency Christy yours Halker Frothers

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· Carker Handy 24 nov 1876 For SB, cold in Aug. This letter was unsealed and there was sw receipt therein. Ree L. B. p39. Receipt ned 27th new from Du, Dis. p. 44. d'led herem, 14121. Reed Ro nov 76

8,1,0 Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., MEMBEY, PM, 1876. Siz. In communication of the 25th inst, forwarding receipts from Meson. Kelly Faidlaw Co. for payments made then for Oliver Jourchased, has Cheen received. I have this day referred to the Accounting Officers of the Depart = ment for examination feettlement your Bullin Recounts for the Chand Quarter, 1896. Veryrespectfully, Robinston Acting Director. Supt. Philo. Mint.

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## THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

In Connection with the Direct United States Cable, and the Dominion Telegraph Company of Canada.

THOMAS T. ECKERT,

The rules of this Company require that all messages received for transmission shall be written on the message blanks of this Company, under and subject to the conditions printed thereon, which conditions have been agreed to by the sender of the following message.

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Van Kleeck, Clark & Co. | hters, 28 Vesey Street, N. Y.

adu & Treshon 27 nov 1876 Ingu. when quarters will be coined. Till deliver Wedning ? Reef 27 Nov 76

#### MEMORANDUM.

From

#### JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

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a. Loudon Inowder Esq 16. S. Mint

No lend you today five kiego blanks

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fartment fircular #58, current Series. As the period named in your Requisition - the current Six months - has so nearly clapsed, and in view of the Saving in the printing, packing and freight expenses of an Extra Shipment, You are requester, in case your present Requisition does not enclude Sufficient Stationery for official use during the Remainder of the present fescal year, to forward one in lieu thereof which shall include Such quantities.

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ALS. Oreasury Department, Washington, D. G. Ovember 27, 1876. James Pollock Egg,

Superintendent U.S. Afinh,

Philadelphia, Pa. Acknowledging Receipt of your Steply to Department's letter of the 22 d. instant, relative to your requisition for Stationery, you are informed that it is the intention of the De partment that Requisitions for the -Monery shall be made to cover dalen-- dar half years as required by the

### HALF RATE MESSAGE.

The business of telegraphing is liable to errors and delays, arising from causes which cannot at all times be guarded against, including sometimes negligence of servants and agents whom it is necessary to employ. Most errors and delays may be prevented by repetition, for which, during the day, half price extra is charged in addition to the full tariff rates.

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A. R. BREWER, Secretary.

WILLIAM ORTON, President.

Send the following half rate message subject to the above terms, which are agreed to.

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To Mr Heilgard, beoast Survey Mashenglon.

und are is here and occasionally est.

Russell Brothers' Print. 17 Rose Street, N. Y.

The rules of this Company require that all menoif the Company, under and subject to the conditions priche following message. WILLIA A. R. BREWE

S. E. Cor, Broad & Chestnut Sts.

Mr. Hilgard 1371 boach Survey Mashington Non 20/76 D.8 Is Mr Land at the Minh Answer filed herein. Rees 20 nn 76

after paying for ducis Pelvers as me have on hand, there mill be a balancer available of Day 150,000 in newyork. But as this mel be dittle enough for the Commencement of payments on delver now Men si Moundel, Stoll mould be best to at once incuase the My balance to andimount Russable to meet any payments for the inmedial future. 25 MN. 1876.

# MINT OF THE UNITED STATES AT Thila COINAGE STATEMENT FOR Nov. 25, , 1876

#### GOLD.

Balance per last Statement
RECEIVED FROM COINER—
In Double-Eagles\$
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## MINT OF THE UNITED STATES

AT

#### DAILY STATEMENT

FOR

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Office OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

1876.

On examination of the Daily Statement of the Cashier of your Mint of the 23" inst., I observe that you have to your credit with the Assistant Theadmen at New York Thoundhundred Eightyeighte thousand, Dix Mundred and Twenty Deven delland and Mindeen Cento (# 488,627,19). Wwill thank you to give this office timely notice if this sum is not Inflicient to enable you to make

payment for Bilver punchased for delivery abyour Muit, and of which you have heretofore been notified. On this connection would it not be desinable,

inestead of increasing your bullion fund, for you to Ship to the assistant Incasurer at Mew York, a Anthicient Sum ont of moneys in your wault at Philadelphia to enable you to make payment

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Very Gespeckfully,

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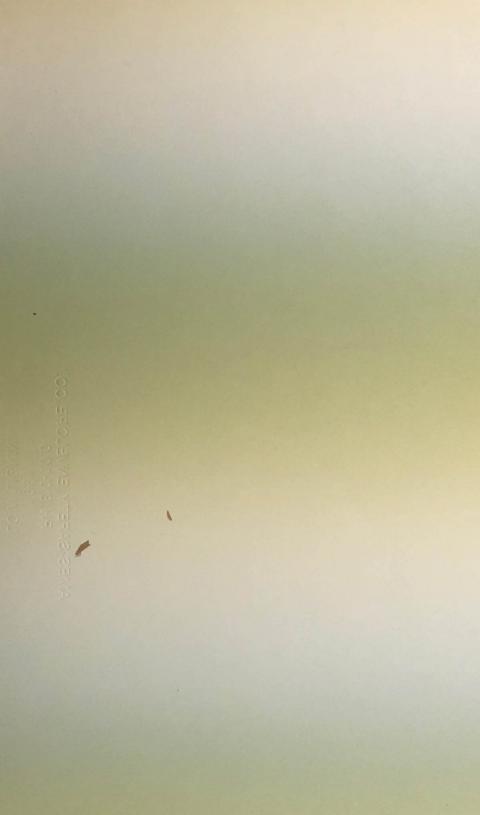
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Wants notice if balance with S.T., My, is sufficient to pay for OB purchased, Inqu. if Gold Coin could be shipped from Mint to A.T., My. on above afor

Mennanda of Pashier & Book Keeper filed herein.

Read 25 nov 76.







O. C. Bosbyshell N. B Boyd James B. Cowden Henry J. Garrett John. L. Mc Ginnis C. C. Thorn

a. W. Downing 6 Calhoun F. C. Garriques Daniel J. Fuller

My dear friends:

I have the honor to ack. nowledge the receipt of the magnificent bronze of Per seus and Indromeda" sent me as a free will offering. and testimonial of the kindly feeling entertained towards me by my late associates the officers clerks and employees of the United States Mint with your accompanying very complimentary letter.

I will not attempt to express the profound emotions I experience at this generous, warm hearted, manifestation of your goodwill towards me From my heart I thank you for your beautiful gift and for the

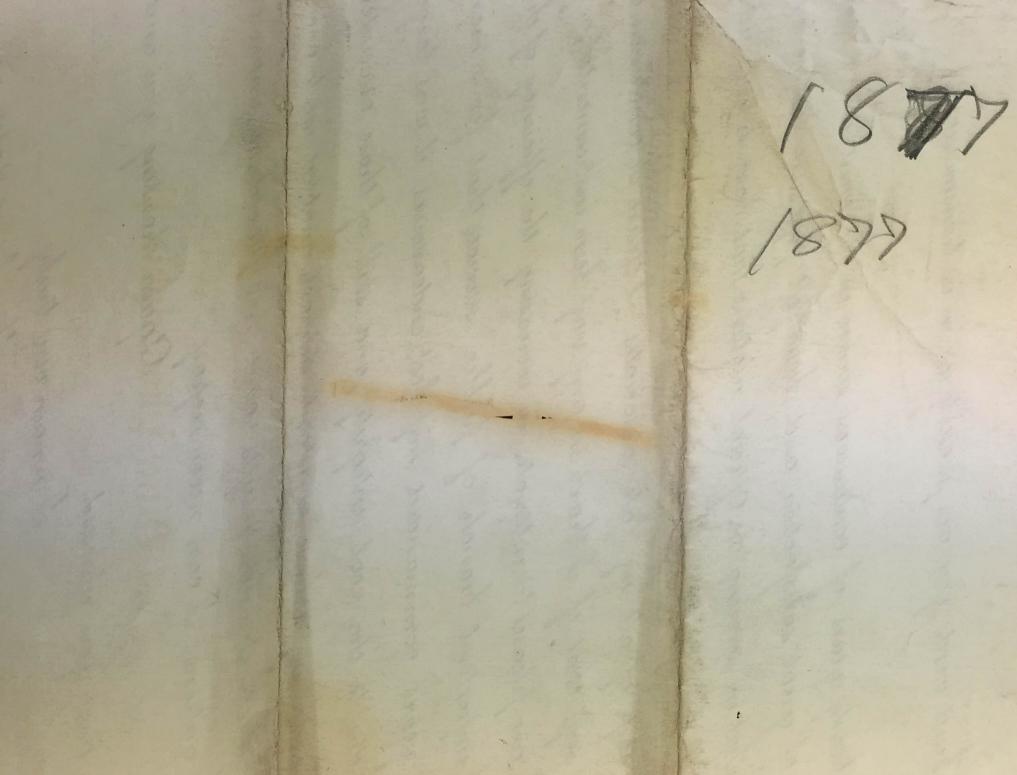
kind words you are pleased to use in its transmission.

twenty years of continuous service in the mint; it is a source of great satisfaction, and heartfelt pleasure for me to know, that in severing the Official relations that have so long existed, I carry with me the cordial sympathy and hearly friend ship of all my late associates. I desire in conclusion to say, that if I have in any way been instrumental; as you are pleased to intimate, in increasing the efficiency of the important branch of public service, that for so many years commanded my best endeavours, it was largely due to the zeal, integrity and skill of those associated with me, whose constant support enabled me to accomplish desired results, and has placed me under obligations I can never repay.

Again thanking you and

those you represent.

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

3, 1877. I transmit in duplicale moviet the account of George December 1876, which sponwiel please pay. Very respectfully ARdunderman Duelor Honfaskveltock Spift minters Rhilaselphia

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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muting Statement of Minor Coins, redeemed, reigned and exchanged, and Statement of Mornor Comage operations, during the month of December 1876 has been received Very respectfully Dunter Hon farme Pollock Jufte Mint leg Philadelplina

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Treasury Department, office of the director of the mint,

January 2", 187 7. Weights and Balances Mr. Dompkins to the assay Office at Mew York to adjust the weights and balance of these as early as practicable—this week if possible. Hespectfully, A Robinson Minectols, Mon James Pollock! Aupt. N.S. Mit Uhilas "Pa..

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Pannany 2", 1877. Qi: This desirable that we should have a Statement, respectively, of all of the Vilner bullion Aunchosed for and delivered alyon Mint, and Aettled for from October 1st to December 31 inclusion. and I will thank you to have Such Statement forepaned and transmitted to this office as early as may be Convenient, noting on the margin of such Statement any lots of bullion received during the Same time and remaining massayed! Respectfully, Director Hon. James Tollock! Supt. U.O. Mint

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D. M. 7 Jan 2/76

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The Moint of the United States, at Carson. January 4th 1874. Sir. Three (3) Boxes containing Omnual assay Coins reserved from the Deliveries of the Coiner to the Euperintendent during the months of October, Hovember and December 18 % as fer statements herewith Enclosed Agnus Granoford. Duperintendent. How Jas. Pollock. Bust. U.S. Mint. Philadelphia, Pa.

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The Mint Mitted States ar Carson, Nevada.

4 Jan 1877

JAMES CRAWFORD,

Superintendent.

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#### MINT OF THE UNITED STATES AT CARSON, NEVADA.

ANNUAL-ASSAY COINS reserved during the Month of December, , 1876.

#### GOLD.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

January 5, 1877.

I have received your letter of the Ith inst., motifying this Office of the number and denomination of dies destroyed for the calendar year 1876. In this connection I have to request that you will enform me what progress has been made by your Ongraver in the preparation of dies of new de-Signs, for the subsidiary coinage. I will thank you to furnish me with impressions of Such dues as may be completed or so far advanced as to exhibit the devices, logether with duch dugged tions en reference thereto as you may be able to submit.

Herry res pect fully

H. R. Linderman

Director

Hon. Jas. Pollock

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Philadelphia.

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## Oreasury Department,

Jan 5. , 1877.

Hen James Tollrok.

Suph t to Sir. for are herely instructed to have made a very careful instection and Examination of all the machinery, appratus + of your Mint with a brin to determine whether any portion of the Same is becoming impaired or likely to become surpaired from the large and Continued sork devolving when you and peport the result to this repairs are likely to be necessary, five me an idea of the probaba Expense thereof, in order that some timely poursion may be made for funds to Cover the same. I trust that our coinage matters this be in Condition by the Early hart of Some

# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, fir. Afour allention is called to the letter of this Office under date of the 5th instant en which you were instructed to have a care inspection and examination of the machinery and apparatus at your mint made in order to determine what repain Avould be necessary to make during the next annual selllement. Iwill thank you to give this matter your early allution and forwardyour report to this Office. Very respectfully Honfas Poelock Develor Philosolphia

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Jan. 24.1873.

Hon. James Pollock,
Superintendent 21. S. Moint.
Sir,
In

obedience to your oder of Jan. 8 th. to proceed without delay to make a very careful inspection and examination of all the machinery and apparatus of the mint, - to ascertain whither any portion is becoming impaired or likely to become so from the large and continued work devolved upon the mint, and to make an approximate estimate of the probable cost of any repairs What may become necepary, ine would most respect July report the following items. The engines and boilers are in good condition regning sim-Jely the ordinary expense of labor and material in Keeping Athem in this condition unless

some unforseen accident should occur.

That it would require from fine to six hundred dollars the put the old coining room engine in perfect working order, but as this engine may now be considered as an anxiliary only, it may be considered by you inexpedient to go the this expense at present,

Me Mind and last set of boilers, which when finished will not have to be repeated for about one year. There should be an expendent of about sixty dollars in covering the stram pipes of the new engine as soon as the joints are sufficiently tight.

Several of the coils of pripes now used as heaters are in a leaky condition and repairs on them have been and are made with great difficulty, expense and encertainty and as they are much convoled, (having been in use since 1854,) are think a sum of about twelve hundred oblians would be required to put them in good order.

The great number of gas, steam and water pipes, (with their numerous values and joints,) unning throughout this building will always regime a considerable expenditure in overhanding and renewal, however from our knowledge of them we see me reason to pear any other extraordinary expense attending them at present excepting the one mentioned in the preceding remarks.

In the room med for guirding and puripying the water tanks used in settling. The wash water are guite old and in a leaky condition and will doubtlef soon reguin to be rebuilt, which can probably be done at an expense of one hundred dollars.

The small crushing machine in this room is old and rickety and it sums that an expenditure of about

fifty dollars might considerably improve it. However should the head of this department of the mint, regime a new one of course the expense would largely exceed this amount. The junace used in drying the sweeps' is old and shaky, and an expenditure of about twenty-fine dollars on it would greatly improve its heating copacity. The hoisting machine of the mint has been in constant nee for many years, does some heary work and sums to be reliable and regimes frequent and careful examination. Vanles it shower be decided to make a new one with perhops more relvable checks for stopping its descent in case of accident these examinations need not be expensive.

The engrane of the mint is unable to annual all the dries required at present and says that should the present prep of work continue another annualing furnace would be regard.

The machinery in the coining soon having been worked trudne a fortun homs each day for The past ten months begins to show the effect of such continned use, and while all the preper but No. 10 are at present in running order, get their reliability is not such as the department should consider desirable. No. 10 prep is now undergoing The necessary repairs, The work being done by the mint employees and progressing formably. In the evany of general repairs to the Juspes and especially in the matter of displicates of Three parts that are most likely to break a mean ont me would most respectfully invote your careful attention to several of the stakes, ( The part of the prop that holds the lower die.) which are subjected to great even and strain, Many of thise should be replaced with new ones and it would he well to have duplicates of these as well as of many other parts in order to meet pudden emigeneris.

The bridles of No. 8 preps should be replaced with new ones, More now in use are insecure and dangerous, (having no brooks to bold the lever in its place) and the breaking of a ball-joint an event which may always be expected might came great destruction to the ma-chinery of the prep and probably serious in jure the persons in the vicinity.

Four of the milling machinis region new steel bands on the nunming heads. The location of the orining freps, are vermined to be changed and placed with the others as it would make it much more commend—
ent. The shafting is now in position and the change could be made at a very small expense.

The probable cost of fritting the coining norm machine in a desirable condition and furnishing these duplicates would be about fine thousand dollars. (\$5000.00).

For drive the machiney in the solling som there is about fine hundred dollars worth of new helt-ing sweded for use and for extra betts.

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One pair of chilled cast iron rolls costing about two hundred dollars, and one pair of cast stul rolls costing about three hundred and minty dollars, and one set of braf boxes for the rolls costing about seven hundred dollars, and two new chains for the draw benches costing about there hundred dollars are required in the rolling room. (Jotel \$2090.00.)

In the whitening room the annuality furnace will probably soon have to be rebuilt at an expense of about one hundred dollars.

The steam violable or prolishing machine is booken in many places and is very unreliable. As this is of so much importance to the working of the mint, and is a price of machine that deplicate prices could not be easily furnished for, we would respectfully recommend

a nun machine duplicating its working parts. We learn from Mep. Morgan & On that it would cost about one thousand dollars.

There are numerous minn expenses in every department of the mint, the total amount of there ex
penses we have, no attempt to estimate as they are so dependent on the sur-

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regular and careful examinations and
repairs of machinery and apparatus
generally when in opporation as
when at rest.

From the examination made by us we would estimate Most about eleven thousand dollars and be judicioned expended on the machiny and opporatus that has engged on attention in obedience to your orders. Johns, very respectfully

John Synin.
John S. Garrett
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Custom House, Rochester, A. P., Collector's Office, , 1877. Their is to certify that I han mound Ourlipeale of Deposet The 110. clased Joney. 4 th 1877 from the Cast. M.S. Skasun Philada, for. \$239.26, gold Com. the net proceeds of 8241. light gold low, forwarded to the U.S. Minh December 27th/876 for neomage Supr. US Munis Philadelphia

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Custom House, Collector's Office.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.,

Jany 6. . 1877. D.C. Cartter Collector.

Acky recta 6/0 fr \$ 239.26 Gall Colin.

No. of Enclosures,

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Qustom Jouse, Milwankee, Wis., Collector's Office, Jany 6, 187). Fix; Your letter of 4th inst enclosing Certificate of Defosit No 114 in duplicate from the asst Freas. of the U.S. at Philadelephia for \$482 23 + Mint Mem. No 1756, is received this day Very respectfully Clorence opperater

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Custom House, Collector's Office, MILWAUKEE, WIS.,

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Special defty Collector.

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# Treasury Department,

office of the director of the MINT,

famuary 6, 1877.

The sexponse to your letter of the 5th inst & transmit herewith copies of table of weight, deviation &c of United States Coins.

The circulars Showing the value of foreign coin Standards have not yet been issued. I shall transmit copies to you as soon as neceived by this Office.

Hery mespectfully Director.

Hon. Jas. Pollock Supl. Mint Uf. Philadelphia.

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### STANDARD WEIGHT, LEGAL LIMIT OF ABRASION, AND LEAST CURRENT WEIGHT OF UNITED STATES GOLD COIN.

1873.

Department No. 46.

Mint Bureau No. 1.

Coinage Act of 1873.

### Treasury Department,

#### OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., April 1, 1873.

Section 14 of the Coinage Act of 1873 provides that gold coins which have become reduced in weight by natural abrasion not more than one-half of one per centum below the standard weight, after a period of circulation of twenty years, and a proportionate rate for a less period, shall be received at their nominal value at the United States Treasury and its offices.

The following tables exhibit the standard weight, legal limit of abrasion, and least current weight of single pieces, and sums of \$100, \$500, \$1,000, and \$5,000 United States gold coin, (excluding the dollar,) under the act referred to:

Statements exhibiting the standard weight, legal limit of abrasion, and least current weight of United States
Gold Coin after a circulation of twenty years, under the provisions of the Coinage Act of 1873.

#### WEIGHT OF SINGLE PIECES.

Denomination.	Standard weight, in grains.	½ per cent. abrasion, in grains.	Least current weight, in grains.		
Double Eagle	516	258	513 42		
Eagle	. 258	129	256 71 000		
Half Eagle	129	0 64	$128_{100}^{36}$		
Three-Dollar	77.4	0 38	77 02		
Quarter Eagle	64.5	0,32	64 18		
Dollar	25.8	013	25,67		

The legal deviation from the standard weight on the coinage of the gold dollar being one-quarter of a grain, it will continue current until reduced in weight below  $25\frac{55}{100}$  grains.

Weights of different sums of United States Gold Coin, (excluding the dollar,) in Troy ounces, and decimals of the ounce.

Amount.	Stan	dard ounces.	Less ½ p	er et. abrasion.	Least current weight.		
	Ounces.	Thousandths.	Ounces.	Thousandths.	Ounces.	Thousandths.	
<b>\$5,000.</b>	268	.750	1	. 343	267	. 407	
\$1,000	53	. 750	0	. 269	53	.481	
\$500	26	. 875	0	. 134	26	.741	
\$100	5	. 375	0	. 027	5	. 348	

In weighing coins in bulk at the mints, the ounce Troy, and decimals thereof, is used. The same system will no doubt be followed at the various Treasury offices, but in other places it may be more convenient to use pennyweights and grains, instead of decimals of the ounce Troy. A statement of the standard weight, legal limit of abrasion, and least current weight, in ounces, pennyweights, and grains, is also given.

Weights of different sums of United States Gold Coin, (excluding the dollar,) in ounces, (Troy,) pennyweights, and grains.

Amount.	Standard weight.			Less ½ per ct. abrasion.			Least current weight.		
	Ozs.	Pwts.	Grains.	Ozs.	Pwts.	Grains.	Ozs.	Pwts.	Grains.
\$5,000.	268	15	0	1	6	21	267	8	3
\$1,000	53	15	0		5	9	53	9	15
\$500.	26	17	12		2	161	26	14	191
\$100	5	7	12			12 9	5	6	23 10

The gold dollar continuing current until the deviation from standard weight in manufacture is exceeded, 5,000 pieces will be current if not weighing less than  $266\frac{145}{1000}$  ounces Troy.

For the information of the public, it may be stated that all double eagles, or twenty-dollar pieces, which have not been artificially reduced in weight will be found within the limit of natural abrasion allowed by law. The same rule will apply generally to eagles, or ten-dollar pieces, coined since 1845; half eagles, or five-dollar pieces, coined since 1855; quarter eagles, or two-and-a-half-dollar pieces, since 1860. The double eagle, or twenty-dollar piece, should continue current for fifty years from date of coinage; the eagle, or ten-dollar piece, for thirty-five years; the half eagle, or five-dollar piece, for twenty years; the three-dollar piece and the quarter eagle, or two-and-a-half-dollar piece, each fifteen years.

The deviation from standard weight, one-quarter of a grain, allowed by law in the coinage of the gold dollar, exceeds the legal limit of wear by nearly the eighth of a grain. All pieces of this denomination coined since 1860 will be found within the legal tolerance, if not fraudulently reduced in weight. These periods are estimated for coins when they constitute a part of the circulating medium, or are frequently transferred in Treasury and customs transactions.

It would save time, and otherwise facilitate the transaction of business, if persons having payments to make at the Treasury or custom-houses, would offer coins of one denomination only, and as far as practicable twenty-dollar pieces.

H. R. LINDERMAN,

Director of the Mint.

Treasury Department, office of the pirector of the mint, fir: I have approved and refused to the accounting Officers the account of the Treasury Dupartment, for Stationer furnished your mont amounting to \$302.86, payment to be made from your appropriation for londingent Expenses, for the current freed year. Sendose herewith, an extract from your requestion for Blank Books, which the Dupartment would prefuto have You prome in Philadelphia. Very respectfully At Holmdum and Hon fas Rollock Infil Frint to G Philadelphia Duelos

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Union Stock Fards II Director of Mint-Philadelphia Pa Dear Sir My Brother Mathew Tostevin lift this city on the 24th of Nov 1876 for Philadelphia with a quantity of Gold dust Which he Intended depositing in The Mul for Comage on the 27th of Nov he Seul Mea Postal Card from Philadelphia Saying that he had arrived Safely and would be There about one week Since There Wothing has been heared from heart and I feel apprehension for his Safly will you Please State if such a deposit was made by him



18 Somerset Street,

Boston, Mass., Jan. S. 1876.

My dear fir:

Our fociety had not had any "Pattern Piece" lince the first is me of the Trade tollars. if any have been prepared. we would be pleased to receive them in compliance with Mint requisition. (Rule 3).

Ory truly yours.

Jeremiah Dolbum. Brest-Posten humilmatic Society. To.

Hon. Jamel Pollock. Superintendent n. P. Mint. Jeremiah bolbwr Bast Nimig, Soc. Bastur that Jany 8774

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## Mint of the United States.

Philadelphia, San. 9th 1877

Kon James Follock herewith hand for your inspection, three boxes containing in-pressions of Openimen pieces, 120x no. 1, contains a complète set of heads, viz. \$1, 50, 25 and 10 pieces. 130x no. 2, three Obverse and one Reverse for \$1. and one head without "In God Wa Arnet, one head with plain Tiara, and one do-, ornamented, also a Keverse of Eagle standing on a rock with "Elluribus Unum" insenbed on it. Dige, \$ 2. Box no. 3, Contains a sketch for a head of Liberty which I have only just

begun and am progressing with. Shave come others progressing, of which will report chartly.

Very Respectfully Yours,

my Barber\_ Ougraver. Spechensund of new dealign for I did a doll.

Marber 3 Engraver. January 9/49

Speciment of hear designs for J. D. L. Sut. Coins, forwarded by Delle.

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Rud Janing 9/77

Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., AMUCHY, 9, 1874. Thave this day referred your Indiniary Recount for December to the Accounting Officers for adjustment. Qwill thankyou to metruch your clerk who makes out the payrolls of Officers med Clerks to use the amounts given in the book of Balary Cables" after the name of lack mouth, and not the amounts given at thous Am Jas Pollock Jorgrespectfully. Dinetor.

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Treasury Department, office of the director of the MINT,

fir.

I have to request that you will

cause two hundred throws and dollars (\$200,000) in quarters to be covered as larly as pracheatle I have also to request that you will make such anaugements as will enable you hereafter to coin each nouth say \$400000 in quarter dollars the balance of your Subscorang Comage, to be in half dollars, medil othersisse instructed. Very respectfully Hon fas Rollvek Just mit 11g San Francisco Dento D.M. 78 January 22/77

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### MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

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To

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Very truly John Alle HIGO

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., anuary Do, 1874. Jir. The appointment of Um. Deel as Assistant to the Coine at the com = Cheusation freed by law, Rubmittelin your communication of the 19th insh, is hereby approved to take effect on the phyprocino. Ohis being a Falaried position it will be necessary for Mr. Steel to subscribe to a new athof Office. Hon James Pollock, Jerynespectfully, July Mint. 3 Andricuman Dinetor.

January 20/77 Approving apple of The S. Steel as Asst to Joines, fine Tebruary 1. 1877. new oath necessary.

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	(Accounts—Form N-Advance.)	
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	EA. Washington, Jan	20th, 1877.
	Sir:	
	Herewith I have the honor to transmit Q	Draft No. 867
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(This letter of advice is to be forwarded to the Disbursing Officer or Agent.)

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International Exhibition, 1876
Office of the Board on behalf of U.S. Executive Departments,
No 1735 F street ct. W.

Washington D. C., Jan. 19th 1877

Hon. R. W. Tayler,
Representative of Treasury Department,
Sir:

Referring to letters to you of dates elov. 18 and 20, 1876, I have the honor to inform you that the President has now directed that the materials at the Government Building be removed to this City, and that thereupon the Building be sold.

Will you therefore be pleased to make arrange ements for the storage and preservation of your materials in this City, under your directions as Representative of the Treasury Department and subject to future Executive orders, and order the work of removal to be immediately begun?

Respectfully

Your Obedient Servank

S. C. Lyford,

Chairman of Board,

Refus Tayler (Inst Constroller)
Repres Treas Dept. at
Contemnial Exhibition,
19 Jan. 1877,

Directing removal &
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Treasury Aepartment, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

August 19, 1877. Jin John letter of the 18" instant endoring corrected statement of Silver purchases atyour mint during the 4th greater 1876 has burnein. Very respectfully Durchy Honfxums Pollock

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Philadelphia

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### MEMORANDUM of GOLD BULLION deposited at the MINT of the UNITED STATES

at Philadelphia, the 22d day of January 1877, by G. C. Thompson

Note. This Memorandum is for the information of the Depositor, and is of no other Value.

DESCRIPTION OF BULLION	BEFORE MELTING AFTER MELTING		FINENESS	VALUE OF THE GOLD		SILVER PARTED FROM THE GOLD			DEDUCTIONS			
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		Ounces Dec.	1,000th	Dollars	Cts.		Dollars	Cts.	Dollars	Cts.	Dollars   Cts.	
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I Certify that the net amount of the above Deposit is mo

hundred and Seventy five

91 Dollars.

Payable at the Mint, only on presentation of the receipt of a corresponding date and number heretofore issued.

Gold Coin \$ 275.91

Gold Bars \$

Silver Coin

Silver Bars

JAMES POLLOCK.

Superintendent of the Mint.

By

O. J. Jones

Custom Youse, Milmington, A. C., Collector's Office, Jany, 19th, 1877. Thuman this day to the mint for Capacias, on sealed prokage an Truing to daming Omo Hundred and seventy sevent ivo documes, in hight goth com for becoming, and Coppets with the assistant Junamy (Mrs. 02 Phyladesphia ou account Of Satte on Somprity Stands - Any Segun Sen prospectfully Samo Pollock Engl Theladelphini )

Custom House, Collector's Office, WILMINGTON, N. C., Jany 19, 1877. Inph O. abboth Collector. Forwards, por Expresso, light gold low for neomage to \$27750, No. of Enclosures, Red Jany 22/77

Treasury Aepartment, Washington, D. C. Muany, S, 187/. Thave received the Oath of Office of Henry P. Hausell, Culter ni the Coiners Department of your Veryrespectfully, Whiladelphin. Whiladelphin.

D.M. January 15/79 Oath of H. P. Standele, Cutter, res? Rus Juny 16/79

Oreasury Department, Washington, D. C., MUUMY St., 1874. Sir, Treturn herewith for the Rignature of the Assayer Report 194 of the Desayer on Oilver Bullion deposited, belonging to your Bullion Accounts for the Third Quarter, 1846. Veryrespectfully, Director. Am James Pollock. Bupt. Miladelphin. 3

Returns for Report Silver tul-Report of Silver tul--lim Mo. 194, 300 g. 1876. Red Janing 16/79

## Oreasury Department,

Washington, D. C., WWWayy, B, 1877.

Sir, The following changes in the Corners department of your Mint, submitted in your communication of the 12 "instant, are hereby approved to take effect they. 1.187; Thos. H. Wilson, promoted to Foroman of Roller @3.50 for. downies no. Buningtransfil. Ellis Venofer promoted to Forman of Annealers @ 3.50 per dieno. Hon Jas. Pollock, & A Robinson an Supt Phila Minh. 3 Director.

January 13/4 App appt y Thos. It William as Foreman of Rolling af 3.50 pm die Ellis Newofer, 4 Foreman etamealer, @ \$ 3.50 pudien Teb. 1. 1879

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Tany 13th, 1877. fir:
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lears on Mint my Donble Eagle 2 Obverse 6 Revuse 22 do 16 do 24 .. 19 do Short gauge Half Dollar Guarter Dollar 25 " 25 Short gange, Dimes Very unsportfully It Holmannan Dunlor Hon formes Rollock Supt Mintelly Philadelphia

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Ordering 139 additional this for the Mint at barson.

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Form 10. THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TELEGRAPH COMPANY. In Connection with the Direct United States Cable, and the Dominion Telegraph Company of Canada. The rules of this Company require that all messages received for transmission shall be written on the message blanks of this Company, under and subject to the conditions printed thereon, which conditions have been agreed to by the sender of the following message. THOMAS T. ECKERT, ALBERT B. CHAI D. HOMER BATES, Gen. Sup't, Atlantic Division, New York. President. CHAS. A. TINKER, Gen. Sup't, Central Div'n, Chicago. R. P. HAMMOND, Gen. Manager, Pacific Div'n, San Francisco. NUMBER. SENT BY TIME. CHECK. Chestnut IRECT

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Philadelphia Pa, Director

D.M. 60 January 15/77

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# Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Dir: I have your letter of yesterday enclosing the Commincation to you from Mr. Young Ming of Mantford, Com. requesting Certain estimates. Your action in referring the Same to this office was very proper! The rule is rigid, that information of this char-= acter can only be given on application through the Department of State. I may State for your information that, on the application of the american Minister in China, made through the Department of State, an estimate of the Boest of execting and equipping a Mint together with full information as to its organization and Conducting of business, was fur= = mished by this office Deveral months ago.

There is no objection to firemaking milling

with Samples of Coines upon the Same Conditions as apply in other Cases. Respectfully, Respectfully, A. R. Linderman Director. Mon. James Pollock. B Oupt. Ned. Mint 3 Philas - Penna... 3

Harford, Conn. January get 181/4 "10 th ban you send me a sample of all the different, denominations of coins made in the mint send a bell for them, or let me Know how much they would all come to + Fruill send aheck first. If the answering of the above enquiries molve any expense, please let me know." Very Respectfully (signed) Yung Wing

#### MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

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## MEMORANDUM.

From

JOHN DALLETT & Co.,

128 Walnut Street.

PHIL'A San 111h 1879

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O. L. Bosbychels Esq Ub. S. Muis

Meat Sir. Her Send you this morning no. 272/278 y cases large blanks 20 m ca

together with 200 empty boxes.

Very truly John Dallett 60.

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Phila October 18th 1876 Dear Sir, In reply to your favor 16th wiel we beg to Jay that we but with your recommendations for us to pappoint some one who were check the weight of the blanks when wed and deld to us, and at your luggestion we ask that Mr L. R. Cowpertwaith should perform that work in our behalf.

Cours but. Yours truly John Daucht 6. a. Loudon Invenden 629 Ub. S. Mint

Oct. 18-1876. Dallett. hv. + G. afft. In Coopertouts to represent them in receipt of blks the -living of ani - Venezuela.

Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., January 10, 1874. Am James Pollock. Jupt alembia. Sir, The appointment of Frederick W. Barnewallas a Roller in the Concers Department ofyour Minh aha compensation of 2.90 pendien. price pro Sallagher resigned submitted inst, is hereby approved.

Meryrespectfully.

Delle. January 12 pm Treek W. Barnewelo a, Rolle @ \$2.90 pm

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Treasury Aepartment, office of the director of the MINT, Spour letter of the 11th nistant exclosing Certificate of Duport for from July 1 to December 31241876 has been received Very respectfully A. R. Linderman Durely Honfames Pollock
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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., Jamuary 287/. An James Gollock. Supt. M. Mint. Philadelphia. I have examined and referred to the Recounting Officers of the Department for adjustment your Tratement of Medal Fund Recount and Nouchers for the quarter ended December. 31.18,6. Veryrespectfully, A Redindennan Dinelor.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., January 11, 1876.

Wir:

In further presponse to the request made in your letter of the 5th inst. I herewith transmit copies of the Cercular exhibiting the value of fireign coin standards.

These circulars have not been received before to-day.

Hon. Jas. Pollock Director

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., January, 12, 187%. Hon James Pollock. Supt. a.D.Minh Thiladelphia. Treturn herewith for proper endorsement Mint Receipt, accom. Granging Portification Sold Seposit #914 belonging to your Bullion Accounts for the Third Quarter, 1846. Veryneskeelfully, Director

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Return, fa pusper Endorsement, ellent Gold deposit acco nos 914, Bullion Ja 3re quarte 1876,

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Treasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., January, R. 187. Sir, Treturn herewith for correction 12md of Indemnity for lost Mint Receipt belonging to your Bullion Accounts for the Phirob Quarter, 1846. The names of the parties bounden Should be filled in the Condition of the Obligation. Veryrespectfully, A. R. Linderman Hon James Pollock, B. Director.

Dell. 49 January 12/77

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Treasury Aepartment, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
Washington, D. C., MULCHY!, 187/. I have this day referred to the Recounting Officers of the Department For adjustment your decount of Refinery lokeuses during the mouth of December, 18,6. Veryrespectfully. Director. Hon James Pollock, West. M.S.Munh. 3 Philadelphia.

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U.S. MINT GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE 1877/JANWARY (CONT.)



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Ladies' Rolls January 1845.

Anited States Mint, Philadelphia, Jenn., ASSAY DEPARTMENT, March 7, 1878. Hon: James Pollock Superintendent de te Agreeably to the request of the Director of the mint, I enclose the data to enable him te make a reply to Mr D. m. Sman, of Leavenworth, Kansas. Very respectfully WEDUBONS assayer

Cilver logu. D. S. Mint, Assay Department, Celty Jan L. S. Mint, Penn., 7 March, 1878 Horwarding for D, W. description of Cests for Eilver coin. 31 Duplicate Enclosed Herein \$ 528, fame, No. of Enclosures, / Reed 7 meh 78

## Counterfeit Half-Dollare,

Published in Philadelphia daily papers, January 25th 7877.)

As these pieces are beginning to show themselves, though not in alarming quantities, a few simple directions for detecting them may be weeful especially in the stores and

Counterfeiters generally content themselves with the cheap and quiet process of cashing from moulds, though Inetimes they strike the pieces from dies. The mould is made from the genuine coin, and yields a fac-limiles They use a type-metal, somewhat hardened and conorous by the addition of Coffer; and the whole being slightly silvered over in a battery, and the gate neatly ribbed out on the edge, such a piece may pase while fresh and new. They are however, rather too white and too thick; or if of right thickness, too

There is comething about the genuine coin that ordinarily puts

it above surpicion, saticularly after the rew white sergace has given place to the inimitable and permanent nine-tenths tint. It may be abused by heating or staining, or by contact with gum clashic bands. It has been disfigured with tin-foil, for the small purpose of provoking a bet. In rare cases it may have a flaw at the edge, or shut in, which destroys the ring. But generally it speaks well for itself as to color and conority.

The genuineness of a half-dollar

The genuineness of a half-dollar is something worth looking after, to any of my and especially to a store-Kelper, taking them often through the day. It is, therefore, worth the trouble to have on the counter one or Two witnesses,

easy to be had.

be no more than a thin strip of wood, eight or ten inches long reatly poised, Place a good piece on one end and the suspected one on the other, and have a weight of three grains at hand, if the difference is more than that, decline taking the piece.

Amuch better instrument

would be the one in vogue many years ago for gold, made of brase, and taking not only the weight, but also the gauge of d'ametre aus thickness. anyone wishing to see this simple affair, with a view of making it for sale, may call at the office of the undrisigned. At should be adapted to the half and quarker dollar and perhaps the whole dollar. Decord, a liquid test, composed as follows; 24 grams of Hotale of Dilver, in cuptale, I gramme (Ray 15 grams) of nitric acid, and I ounce of water. Any druggist can put this up, in a mall bottle mith a pointed glass Stopper made for lifting drope, taking care toure pure ingredients. Lemove a little of the surface of the coin by a Knife, and then bouch the place with a drop from the stopper. Of good, there mill berno achin; if bad, it blackens atorice Of should be observed that this is not the compound we use for Hamining Gold Counterfaits and jewelry. And further, some persons use nitric acid

alone, which mill discolor a good com as well as a bad one, As gorpieces struck from dies, they are generally Ruch poor imitations that the taker almost deserves to lose by them, Such a piece, dated 1876, is now before me; good color, feeble and faulty devices, right might, but quite too thick. If mould be eaught by the gauge already mentioned. It is a whitish brass with Dilver plating, more substantial than the electro-silvering. At is well that the courts and officers of the law, are diligent in arresting this business, while the tellers of the treasury and the banks throw out openious offers; lothat it mill not commonly be necessary to use any other test than the rye. The writer has chosen to speak mainly of the half-dollar, because these are chiefly complained of, and the lesser pieces are less likely to be imitated. Still, some men seem to take a pride in this desperate mork, even if it yjelds small profit.

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M. E. Der Bois

assayer,

ref. Mint, Philas

To the foregoing I will add, there have since been invented a number of instruments for quickly teeting Kalfand quarter dollars, The one in use here is Lakerty's Patent, which have not yet found to fail, Amay be had of John S. Dye, office of the bunterfeit Detector, 605 Halnut Dt., Philaselphia; price \$200 - Sent by mail. It is easier to use than the liquid politions. One to test dollars, mill no doubt Roon be made, March 7th, 1878.

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de 318, assayer.

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All Official Letters to the Treasurer's Office must be addressed to the "Treasurer of the U.S.," and in replying to Letters from the Treasurer's Office, the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to. Treasury of the United States,
Washington, Lauie, 31, 187%. I have to acknowledge The receipt of your letter of yesterday covering Certificate of Deposit of Asit. Treas uf. Philadelphia No. 779, in Voir I rausfer Account \$ 60. Jua, proceeds of gold ungget forwarded from This Office for civiage en the mit wit. Very Kespe etfully. Das Giffeean Assit Ine aist of, Superintendent Uf Hint. Philadelphia Penn;

Han Jas. Gilfillan assi men, U.S.) Washington ber Jany 31/77 160.03 comage a fold magget. Red Feh 1/77

Oreasury Aepartment, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., January, B/, 1874. Gir. The following transfer to the toiners department, submitted in your condmunication of the 30th just, are hereby approved to take effect on the Photons: M.H. K. Smith. Counter, to be Rollerah a compensation of 3.00 fr. dm. Albert Ginger. daborer, to be Roller ah a compensation of 2.90 pr. dm. Hon James Pollock, & Bringenman Jupt. W. Mint. 3 Director.

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Mithic. Smith, Comition,
as Rollin of 3. p.d. proheh 1. and
Albert Singer, Laborer,
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Red Fish 1/77

Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,
Washington, D. C., MUANY, 3, 1877. The bansfer of David M. Coans from the position of hansfer Clerk at a compensation of 4.00 per dieno. and appointment as Meigher in the General department at a compensation of 5.00 per dieno, vieo Mu. S. Steel sub mitted in your communication of the Both insh, is hereby approved to take effect from the 1st prosino. Hon James Pollock, B. N. R. Linder Director.

D.M. 119 January 31/77 Approving transfer of David M. Erans, toansfaclete, as Wespher, ets, p. 1. vice Mi Steel, fra Fehl.

Red Jan 1/77

United States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Hon James Theroex, Bupt Mint US, Mit Philadelphia. have today shipped to your address abox containing One Hundred and Seventy pack ages of assay coms reserved at this Mint from the comage of the Ath quarter of 1876, ax fallow V: Caexages, Cho. offices Double Eagles, 30 412 Trade Dollars, 63 962 Half Dallars, 36 739 Quarter Dallars, 900 25 Dimes, 16, 670 170 3583

U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

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Superintendent.

Very respectfully, Millhunge Duft.

U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

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Forw. array coins 4th qu. 1876.

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No. of Enclosures,

Reed 11. Jan 77.

Anited States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Hon James Pollock, I Dupt Mint U.S. Thiladelphia.
On Compliance with in-Structions from the Director afthe mint under date of the 3th inst, I advise Shipment today to your address, per Wells Fargorfo's Express, of One Hundred and fifty hars of fine selver, having a gross weight of 176,880 tong owners, the receipt of which I will thank you to acknowledge. The remainder of the silver due on the U.S. Treasurers order U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

Superintendent.

No. of Enclosures,

transferring 593, 75000 in fine silver from the Gallion Fund of this Mint to the Bullion Fund of your Mint will be forwarded in two shipments, the memorandums of fineness roalue of which well accompany advice of final shipment, say on on about the 25th inst. New respectfully, Chipt.

U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., 1 St Shipment Expert, 150 Bar, True Shipmun 7.0. \* 4089. D'ho Levein 113, 139, 140

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Red Jany 29/79

United States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S) OFFICE, Mmy 22, 1877. Hon Jas Pollock, Bupt Usthuit, Thiladelphiagadvise shipment this date to your address, per Wells Jargarfo's express, of 150 Bars Offine silver, having a gross weight of 179,472 400 Jounces, on ap af US Treasur. ers transfer order referredto m my letter of advice dated the 20th mist. Nery respectfully, OHLugeway Pupt.

Anited States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Hou James Palloen, Supt Mont U.S. Philadelphia, Vadoise shipment this date to your address, per Wells Fargothis express, of One Hundred and twenty four hars of fine selver, having a grass weight of 144,646.76 021 being final shipment on afe of M.S. Treasurer's order transferring 693,7500 from the Bullion Fund of this mint to that of your mint, payment of which to be made in 600,000 omnees of fine sieves. Very respectfully, Offlegente.

U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

Januar 27, 1877.
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Rus Fishstyy

Anited States Mint, San Francisco, Cal., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Hon James Paccock, Supt Mint U.S., Tir: Philadelphia. Keferring to my letter of advise of present date transmit herewith Memorandum of payment of U.S. Treasurer's transfer order # 4089 to the Mint of the US at Philadelphia. 600,000 omces of fine silver having avalue of \$ 593,75000. Very kespectfully, Chunk M. Chous. Att Dupt. 016 555 55500

U. S. Mint, Superintendent's Office, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.,

27 Jan, 1877.
The Source Superintendent.

Fine, J.O. 4089.

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Custom House, Collector's Office, NEW HAVEN, CONN.,

January 31, 1879.

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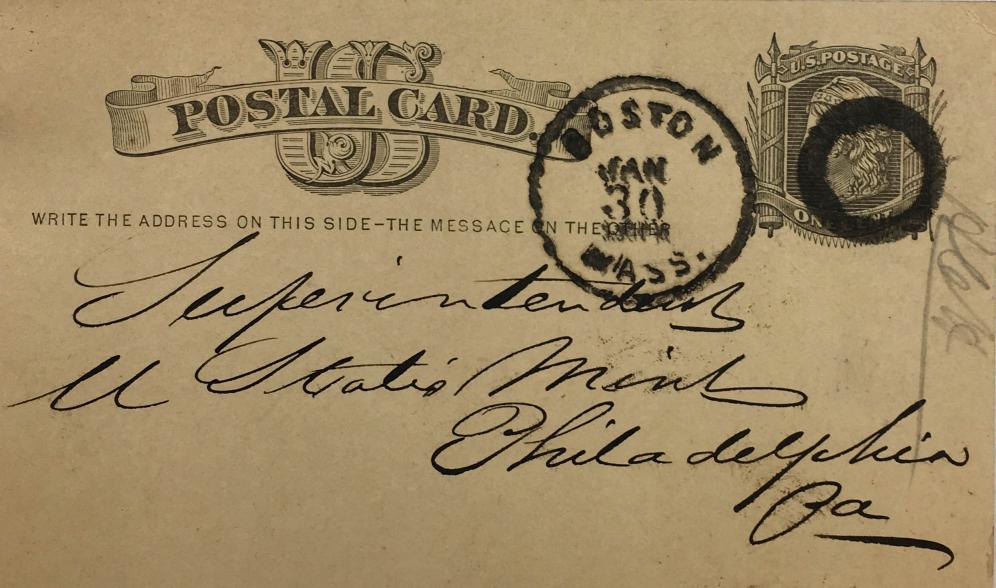
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## United States Mint, Philadelphia, Penn.,

Thunch Silver, are goo thrus. Trench Silver under 5 francs, 835 thous. fine, for a few years past; formerly 900, same as the large piece. English Selver coins, always 925 fine; (called sterling.) U.S. Silver, goo fine.

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Treasury Aepartment, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., LUY 30 Pond of Um. O. Otel, assistant to the Comer of your Mint.

D.M. 115 January 30/77 Official Bonto y Me S. Steet, assit to Coine, received? Rud Janny 31/77

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hie	Treasury of the United States,
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	Washington, Jan 30 m, 1877.
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(This letter of advice is to be forwarded to the Disbursing Officer or Agent.)

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Washington Tel.

January 30/77

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Red Jany 31/77

Moint of the United States. Philadelphia, Jan 29 1877 Hon James Pollock
Supt. Mint
Sir,
Being directed by your letter to relate my method of hardening and tempering dies, of proceed to do so, with my reasons for the method. In doing this, to make myself intelligible, I shall be obliged to refreat much if not all that is al= ready known to the practical men at the Western mints, and of respectfully disolain all intention of doing more, than my best to promote our meteral object, viz. making the dies used, possess more endurance. The first step, or hardening process, Know is well known to

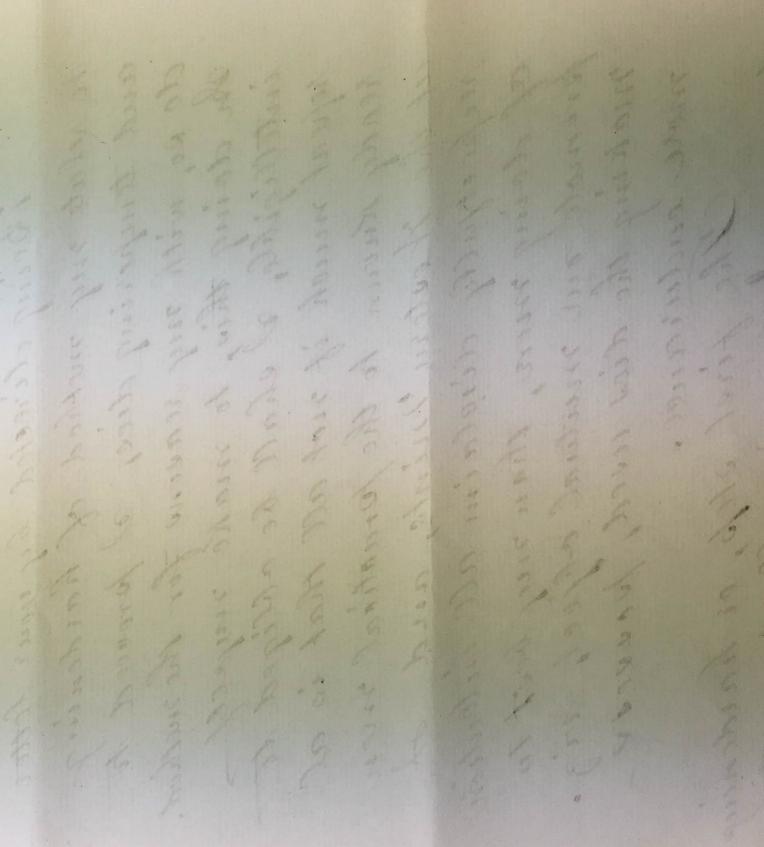
# Mint of the United States, PHILADELPHIA.

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### JAMES POLLOCK,

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the gentlemen at dan Francisco, and I hear from Me Donning that they have the same method and apparatus that I have here. Tresuming then that we start together with the Pame means, - our mutual object being to obtain the just medium betreen sinking" on the one hand and breaking on the other, - reason thus. Supposing the die to have had its face properly protected by bone-dust, the proper degree of hear obtained, and the cooling process rapidly performed, we consider the die properly hardened. WE are now in this position, that if the steel is hardened to the core, We are daved from the liability of binking in the middle, but at the increased leability to splitting or breaking on the edge or outside.

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To the next process has been to brighten the rime or choulder of the die, and chand it on a plate of red-hor metal, carefully watching the change of color on the bright thoulder - which color indicates delicately the de gree of re-oftening which we call tempering, and which regulates all Etell goods, from the watch-spring to the famous Damaseus ever blades. Hel this is so well Known that I hope to be excused for relatingit, which & only do to make myself understood as being between the horns of this dilemma, viz: if the die is not havened to the core, all the way Through, it sinks; if on the other hand the tempering is not low Enough by the From process, it breaks;

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So by this deeper insertion of find I insure a more thorough hardening, and my next care was to obtain an equally filling tempering, and of reasoned thus, To obtain the proper hardening to the core, to prevent sinking of have got my

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Circumference too hard in consequence of its having been the first to come in contact with the water, thereby mere asing my liability to break. Therefore, inskad of obtaining my reduction of hardness, called temper, by reducing it, by means of the hor plats, from the bottom, as usuali reasoned thus. If I let the heat run up from the bottom, the degree of roffners behoren the top and bottom of my die will vary, as the heat met be much greater at its source viz. the hot plan ar the bottom; so that by the time it indicates "yellow" at the top, it may be approaching "blue" at the bottom, so then, Knowing my circumferrice is the hardest and the first to break, reduce the Couper from there first,

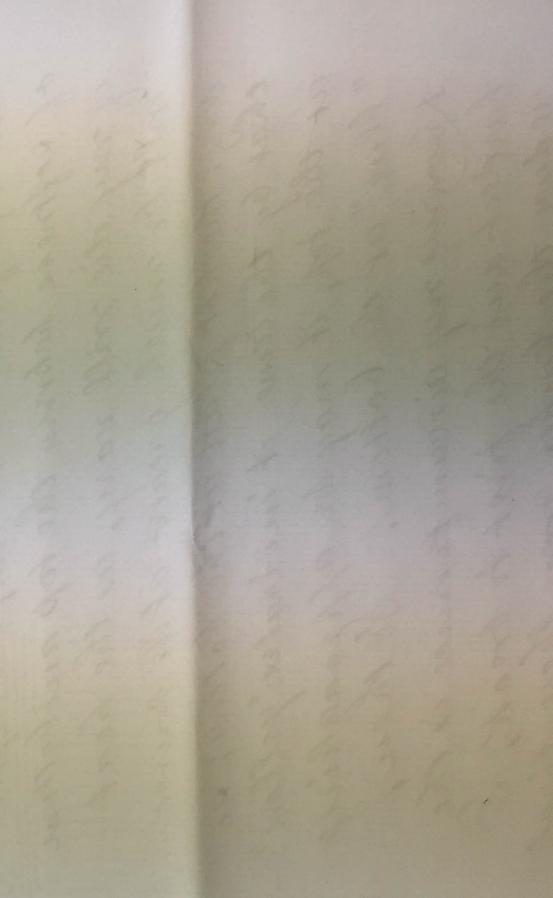
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by the simple means of two heavy half-rings of iron, made of the height of the die to be tempered, measuring from the bottom to the Shoulder; and these rings, being red hot, are made to clash the too hard die, and their temper from the circumference to the centre. Thus the centre is Kept hardest and the extreme the softret, (though hard,) And it causes the extra rize of the die beyond the face, to act as a collar, Keeping the centre parts together. believe this simple process in themy hobr consistent with reason, and I have also verified it in practice, Coping that have norbeen intrusive intrying to be explicit, Thave the hours or tre Vruy Respectfully Jours

Mint of the United States,

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE PIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., Muary PM, 187 M. I have this day requested the Genetary of the maeury to eauxe to be advanced you the sun of Five Hundred Hollars in Sold Coin, pay= able from the appropriation for "Garting Mil Refining Bullion. Quilbendeavor to have the Wraft mailed on Monday thought ist. Am James Pollock. A. Bedinderwan Upt AllMinh, Dinetor.

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Creasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Sport better of the 26" instant enclosing contificate of deposit for \$26217 coin on account of parting and refining Changes has been received. Very respectfully A. Rdinaman Duelor Hon James Pollock Jupto Mintell Philadolphia

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Austom Pouse, Wilmington, A. C., Collector's Office, 1877. Fir: Jour litter of the 25th instant data Jany 200, 1877, from the Assenteint Chesserow A. S. at Philadecphia, m my favor for the dum of \$275 Coin being the proceeds of the recomage of \$279 light gold Com, Survaded by me for That purpose, Throw the honn to say, has this day been neceived. Very respectfully Joseph C. all the Con Amis Pollock Con Inint Quest No. 2. mint Philadolphia Pa

Custom House, Collector's Office, WILMINGTON, N. C., Collector.

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# Treasury Department,

Washington, D. C., January 26, 1877.

I have to request that you will cause to be prepared as early as may be practicable and transmit to the Moint at Van Francisco the following dies. Trade dollar 30 obverse and 30 neverse. This additional requisition for trade dollar dies is occasioned by the heavy Coinage of those coins, amounting to mearly a million dollars a month. Mery nee pectfully

Hon. Jas. Pollock, H. R. Lindenman Olufit. Mint. Phila. Director

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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., January 261874. The appointment of Mer. M. B. Boyd as Ceting (Melter and Refiner of your Minh during the temporary absence of that Officer, submitted inyyour communication of the 20th inch, is hereby approved. Veryrespectfully. H. Kinderman Director. Hon. James Pollock. Buft. Philadelphia Mint. B

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# Treasury Department, office of the director of the mint, farmany 25", 1877.

Dear Dir. Mr. George Morgan informed me that the work which he had in hand would be done much quicker if the dies received two blows indtead of one each day. The also States that he would like to have the assistance of Mm. Key in lettening the dies. Hense De that these facilities are extended to him provided it does not interfere with the execution of the ordinary coinage dies. H. R. Sinceman Director.

Mon. James Pollock! Dink. Da. Jefiladelphia, Pa.

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necessary preparations for the accommodation of the Commission including one meal perday during ites Mession. That been usual, formany years past, do have the assay dinners well Supplied with wined ite., I think it will be well to make Done change in this respect. The champagne wines Whould be dispensed with altogether. A few bottles of good whiskey, and claret, and Dome Cigard, may the procured alyons discretion, It Deemo hardly necessary to Duggest ahat a supply of Ver and Coffee should be opnovided. Very Nispectfully, H. R. Sinderman Director Hon James Tollock! Do Mints 3 Thilas " Pa.

January 25/77 Giving list of Assay Commissioner, Ja 1878 Regulation, plante dinner a Champaign to be omitted.

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Treasury Department, January 25", 1874. The following named gentlemen have been designated by the Inedident as Commissioners to make the Chunal dial of the Comage at your mint on the 14" of February nest, namely: J. L. Chamberlain, Mest. Bowdoin College, Maine. N. O. Nogers, Anof Chemistry, University of Pennsylvanial M. Chandler, Prof. Chemistry Lehigh Vinersity, Tennsylvania Inof Thomas Mice, San Francisco, Cal. Mon. J. Hutnam, Bocston, Mass. Trof. J. C. Vilgard, Mashington, D.C. Jno. O. Mew, Andianapolis, And. A. J. Drevel, Philadelphia, Penna. 6. B. Clast Washington D.C. All Leisenring, Manch Ohmk, Venna. I have to request that you will make all

## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT

January 24, 1877.

Vir:

I send you by Express to day a package of one from Senator Kelly of Oregon, and enclose herewith a letter relating to the same.

one assayed for gold and silver and report the result to this Office.

Please return the letter with

your neport.

Mery respectfully M. B. Simuman Director.

Hon. Jas. Pollock, Supr. Mint Uf. Philada. D.M. Sys January 24/77

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To the Director of the Mint.

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#### MEMORANDUM of GOLD BULLION deposited at the MINT of the UNITED STATES

at Philadelphia, the 25th day of January 1877, by G. C. Thompson aghaelans & led

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Gold Coin	\$60.03
Gold Bars	8
Silver Coin	8
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JAMES POLLOCK,

Superintendent of the Mint.

All Official Letters to the Treasurer's Office must be addressed to the "Treasurer of the U.S.," and in replying to Letters from the Treasurer's Office, the initials on the upper left-hand corner should be referred to.

# Treasury of the Anited States, Washington, Sauce 24, 1877.

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Treasury Department, January 23", 1877. Cliv; I have received your letter of yesterday and delegram of this date in reference to some disposition of cent coines which have accumulated in the re-I have referred your letter to the Secty. demption fund. of the Greating and Rotoon as it shall get into the hands of the chief of the division having change of this business, will confer with him and Dee if Nome pland can be determined upon by which you may be relieved from the difficulty of which you complain! Respectfully, Hon James Pollock! A Refinderman Supt. M.S. Minh Philadelphia. Venna.

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## Treasury Department,

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., M. 22, 1877.

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Jan requested of mr Lemont to ask the return of his letters and papers relation to his application for a clarkship in your mint. - Will you please forward them to may address.

Same Ri, vry respectfully,

Hon James Pallock
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#### JAMES POLLOCK,

Superintendent of the Mint.

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Custom House, New Haven, Conn., Collector's Office, 23d January, 1877. I have this clay hausmilled A you by The adams Express 6" One Deald Envelope. Containing Light Gold Coin - face value (\$176) Ou Hundred and seventy Life Dollers for le comage, la le Déposte to the Couch's of the US. Treamed - on account of Duties on Improsto, very Kespectfully Your Obcellent servand Clevelleton Hon Director
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Oreasury Department, Washington, D. C., January, B187/. You will please instruch Mr. Mm. O. Otel, who has been appointed assistant to the Comer of your Ment, to execute a Bond in the sum of Five Phousand Wollars, and forward the James to this Office. Lendose blank form of

Hon Jas. Pollock, Johnson Mint. Jupt. Chila Mint. Director.

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C. January, 9, 1874. Your Requisition for funds for the current mouth has been approved for the sund of Horty Phousand Dollars, From the following appropriations of: Salaries 1844 3,200. Magesoflookmen. og.000. Collingent acheuses\_ " 9.800 Veryneskeelfully.

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Treasury Department, Jany 9th, 1877. Morn letter of the 8 mistaul trans mitting certificate of depoint for \$169.11 on account of parting and refuning bullion has been received. Very respectfully Dunkor Hon fames Pollock Shipt mint lig Philadelphia

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GEO. F. SLOCOMB, Pres't.

## First National Bank of Grafton.

GRAFTON, MASS., July 9 1877,

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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., Allary, 9, 1877. Sir, I have receive byour communicatwo of the 8th inch notifying me of the resignation of Chas. M. Wilking ni the labinet of your Mint. The necessary change has been made outhe Official Register of this Office. Meryrespectfully. Mon James Pollock, Director. Just Philo Muil 3

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Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., anwany, 10, 187 7. Sir. The following appointments withe Comers Department of your Minh. submitted in your communication of the 9th inst, are hereby approved, org: Miss. H. L. mith, Adjuster at a componention of 2.90 pr. andtotake effect Feby. 1.89%. Of. P. Hansell, lutter at a compensation of 290 fr. dnv. vier les Hansell, deceasel. totakeeffeet from date of lath. Veryvespectfully, Non James tollock. Supt All Mint. Dinetor.

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Oreasury Department, OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT, Washington, D. C., January 10, 187 M. I have received your Vatement of Medal Fund Recount Houchers for the quarterfuded December 31.1896. Veryrespectfully. Director. Am. Janues Pollock, July Minh.

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